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PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL FORTNIGHTLY DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
(UNDER CONTRACT WITH H. M. GOVERNMENT.)

S.S.	Tons	From Hong- kong (about)	Destination
SARDINIA	6,684	4 Sept. noon	S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay
KALYAN	9,118	6 Sept. noon	M'los, London & Antwerp
YAGOYA	6,834	11th Sept.	M'los, London & Antwerp
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430	20th Sept.	M'los, London & Antwerp
SUDAN	6,696	30th Sept.	S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay
KASHMIR	8,963	4th Oct.	M'los, London & Antwerp
PEBRAWUR	7,943	14th Oct.	M'los, London & Antwerp
MOREA	10,911	18th Oct.	M'los, London & Antwerp
SICILIA	8,813	27th Oct.	S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay
KASGAR	8,840	1st Nov.	M'los, London & Antwerp
WALWA	10,941	15th Nov.	M'los, London & Antwerp
SARDINIA	6,684	25th Nov.	S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay
KARNATA	9,998	29th Nov.	M'los, London & Antwerp
WANTUA	10,902	13th Dec.	M'los, London & Antwerp
SUDAN	6,696	23rd Dec.	S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay
KIWA	9,135	27th Dec.	M'los, London & Antwerp
MACEDONIA	11,089	10th Jan. 1925	M'los, London & Antwerp
SICILIA	8,813	20th Jan. ...	S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)

S.S.	Tons	From Hong- kong (about)	Destination
TALWA	10,000	5 Sept. 1 p.m.	S'pore, Penang & Calcutta
TILAWA	10,000	16th Sept.	S'pore, Penang & Calcutta
TAIRA	8,500	3rd Oct.	S'pore, Penang & Calcutta

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)

S.S.	Tons	From Hong- kong (about)	Destination
ARAFURA	6,000	1st Oct.	Manila, S'kan, Thursday Is.
ALBANS	4,500	29th Oct.	Townsville, E'vano, Sydney
EASTERN	4,000	26th Nov.	and Melbourne.

Frequent connection from Australia with the following:-
The P. & O. Company's steamers to the United Kingdom via New Zealand, Vancouver &
the P. & O. Branch Service of steamers to London via the Cape
The P. & O. Branch Service of steamers to Southampton and London via Panama Canal.
The New Zealand Shipping Co.'s steamers for Southampton and London via Panama Canal.

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.

S.S.	Tons	From Hong- kong (about)	Destination
KASHMIR	8,963	5 Sept. 4 p.m.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
SUDAN	6,696	5 Sept. 4 p.m.	Shanghai & Kobe
ARAFURA	6,000	6th Sept.	Moji & Kobe
TAIRA	8,500	10th Sept.	Moji & Kobe
MOREA	10,911	10th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
KASHGAR	8,840	3rd Oct.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
SICILIA	8,813	4th Oct.	Shanghai & Kobe

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.

Wireless on all steamers.
Parcels measuring not more than 2½ ft. x 2 ft. x 1 ft. will be
received at the Co.'s Office up to noon on the day previous to sailing.
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OUTWARDS.

HOMEWARDS.

Vessel	Due Hongkong	Vessel	Leaves Hongkong
GLENGLIDE	2nd Sept.	PEMBROKESHIRE	13th Sept.
GLENSADA	23rd Sept.	GLENNIFFER	28th Sept.
GLENSHANE	7th Oct.	GLENGLIDE	11th Oct.
GLENGARRY	16th Oct.	GLENGLIDE	11th Oct.

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Steamer	Arrives Hongkong from Australia	Leave H'kong for M'la, S'kan, Thup. Ja. & A'lian Ports
YAMUEN	5th Oct.	10th Oct.
YANGSHA	31st Oct.	4th Nov.

This steamer is fitted with Refrigerating machinery, ensuring
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S.S. "CHUKWA MARU" ... on or about 2nd Sept.
FOR HAIPHONG via Hoihow & Pakhoi
S.S. "CHUKWA MARU" ... on or about 5th Sept.
FOR KEELUNG via Swatow & Amoy
S.S. "TAIKWA MARU" ... on or about 4th Sept.
For further particulars, please apply to:-
Branch Office, MATARAI, AGENT,
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in U.S.A. and Canada.

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KAGA MARU ... Friday, 1st 26th Sept.
IYO MARU ... Wednesday, 15th Oct.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP via Singapore & Ports.
HARUNA MARU ... Wednesday, 10th Sept at 11 a.m.
KAMO MARU ... Wednesday, 24th Sept.
HAMBURG via LONDON & ROTTERDAM & Ports.

MITO MARU ... Friday, 26th Sept.
LIVERPOOL via MARSEILLES & VALENCIA.
TSURUGA MARU ... (Calls Glasgow) ... Monday, 8th Sept.
DELAGOA MARU ... Sunday, 28th Sept.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.
TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 17th Sept at 11 a.m.
YOSHINO MARU ... Wednesday, 15th Oct.

NEW YORK and/or HOSION via PANAMA.
MAYBASHI MARU ... Wednesday, 3rd Sept.
BUENOS AIRES via Singapore, Durban & Cape Town.
KAMAKURA MARU ... Tuesday, 2nd Sept.
BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

SADO MARU ... Sunday, 21st Sept.
CALCUTTA MARU ... Monday, 29th Sept.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.
WAKASA MARU ... Tuesday, 2nd Sept.
YAMAGATA MARU ... Monday, 8th Sept.

JAVA & CALCUTTA.
MURORAN MARU ... Monday, 1st Sept.
NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
YOSHINO MARU ... Thursday, 11th Sept.

AWA MARU ... Tuesday, 2nd Sept.
PENANG MARU ... Friday, 3rd Sept.
ATSUTA MARU ... Wednesday, 10th Sept.
KASHIMA MARU ... Tuesday, 23rd Sept.

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S.S. "PERSIA" ... Sails about 30th Sept.

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S.S. "VENEZIA" ... Sails about 7th Sept.

S.S. "LACONIA" ... Sails about 4th Oct.

S.S. "FIUME-L" ... Sails about 7th Oct.

S.S. "PERSTA" ... Sails about 7th Nov.

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Subject to alteration.

CITY OF MANILA 11th Sept. Havre, London, R'dam & Hamburg
CITY OF LAHORE 26th Oct. Shanghai & Japan
CITY OF LAHORE 4th Dec. Marseilles, London, etc.
CITY OF KARACHI 29th Jan. Marseilles, London, etc.
CITY OF KARACHI 25th Feb. Marseilles, London, etc.

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Single 1st Class A £92, B £84. Single 2nd Class A £92, B £56.
Cargo Steamers Saloon Passage £63.
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COAST SHIPPING.

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SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Destination	Steamer	Sailings
T'AO via S'low & S'hai Tungshing	Wed.	3rd Sept. at 10 a.m.
TIENSIN	Cheongshing	Wed. 3rd Sept. at noon.
SANDAKAN	Mausang	Fri. 5th Sept. at 1 p.m.
KOBE	Namsang	Fri. 5th Sept. at noon.
MANILA	Vuansang	Sat. 6th Sept. at 11 a.m.
HAIPHONG via Hoihow Mingsang	Sun.	7th Sept. at 7 a.m.
SHANGHAI via Swatow Fookshing	Sun.	7th Sept. at 10 a.m.
STRAITS & Calcutta	Kutsang	Mon. 8th Sept. at 3 p.m.
BANGKOK via Swatow Kwaesang	Mon.	8th Sept. at 3 p.m.
T'AO via S'low & S'hai Kwongsang	Wed.	10th Sept. at 10 a.m.
MANILA via Amoy	Sat.	13th Sept. at 3 p.m.

Calcutta Line—This Line now affords regular sailings to Calcutta,
Penang and Singapore. Returning from Calcutta steamers
proceed via Straits and Hongkong to Japan occasionally
calling at Shanghai.

All steamers have excellent passenger accommodation, are fitted
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Shanghai Line—Sailings approximately every three days, between
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tickets can be obtained and through Bills of Lading are issued
all to Northern and Yangtze Ports via Shanghai.

Manila Line—A weekly service is maintained with Manila by
vessels with good passenger accommodation, sailings from
both ports every Saturday at 11 a.m.

Haiphong Line—Sailings approximately weekly for passengers and
cargo, calling at Hoihow both ways.

Borneo Line—Fortnightly sailings to and from Sandakan by two
5,000 ton steamers s.s. "HINSANG" & "MAUSANG" both
steamers having excellent passenger accommodation. Cargo
taken on through Bills of Lading for Kudat, Jesselton,
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Tientsin Line—A regular service is run from March to November
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Bangkok Line—A weekly service is provided between Hongkong
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CALCUTTA LINE.

S.S. "Kutsang" will be despatched on or about Monday,
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Steamships	Captain	Leaving
Haiphong	Ellis Walker	TUES. 2nd Sept. at 3 p.m.
Haiphong	W. S. Turnbull	FRI. 5th Sept. at 1 p.m.
Haiphong	W. C. Passmore	TUES. 9th Sept. at 5 p.m.

Arrivals and Departures from the Co.'s Wharf (near Blake Pier).

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SERVICES CONTRACTUALS

Mali Steamers	Next Sailings from Marseilles	Pro. arr. at H'g & Sailing for S'hai & Japan	Pro. Sailing from H'g for M'los
AZAY LE RIDEAU	—	—	7th Sept.
PAUL LEON	—	—	14th Sept.
ANDRE LEBON	—	—	28th Sept.
AMBOISE	14th Aug.	15th Sept.	12th Oct.
CHANTILLY	28th Aug.	29th Sept.	26th Oct.
PORTHOUS	11th Sept.	14th Oct.	9th Nov.

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Messageries Maritimes Co.,
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Telephone Central 740.

CONSIGNEES.

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE

The Steamship
"PRES GRANT"
having arrived from Manila
P.I. via ports on 29th August,
1924. Consignees are hereby
notified that their cargo is
being landed at their risk
into the hazardous and/or extra
hazardous godowns of the Hong-
kong and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Co., at Kowloon, and
stored at consignees' risk.
Consignees of Cargo must pro-
duce an Import Permit signed by
the Superintendent of Imports
and Exports, Hongkong, before
Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed.

All broken, chafed and damaged
cargo is to be left in the godowns,
where it will be examined at
10 a.m. on Sept. 3rd, 1924, by the
Company's Surveyors, Messrs.
Anderson and Ashco.

All claims must be presented
within thirty days of the
steamer's arrival here, after
which they cannot be recognised.
No claims will be recognised
after the goods have left the
godowns, and cargo undelivered
on and after Sept. 5th, 1924, will
be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance whatever
will be effected.

Consignees are requested to
send in their Bills of Lading for
countersignature immediately.
United States Shipping Board
Emergency Fleet Corporation
Agents.

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE.
4, Des Voeux Road.
Hongkong, 29th. August 1924

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES**LLOYD TRIESTINO S. N. CO.**

The Steamship, "FIUME L"

From Trieste, Venice, Brindisi,
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Colombo, Penang &
Singapore.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are
heroby informed that all
Goods are being landed at their
risk into the Godowns of the
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf
& Godown Company, Ltd., at
Kowloon, whence and/or from
the wharves delivery may be
obtained.

Optional Cargo will be for-
warded unless notice to the
contrary be given before 29th
inst.

No claims will be admitted
after the Goods have left the
Godowns, and all Goods remain-
ing undelivered after the 4th
prox. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer
must be presented to the under-
signed on or before the 14th
prox. or they will not be re-
cognized.

All broken, chafed, & damaged
Goods are to be left in the Go-
downs, where they will be ex-
amined on the 4th prox. at 10
a.m. by our surveyors Messrs.
Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been
effected.

Bill of Lading will be counter-
signed by:
DODWELL & Co., Ltd.
Agents.
Hongkong 29th. Aug. 1924.

THE EAST ASIATIC CO. LTD.
COPENHAGEN.

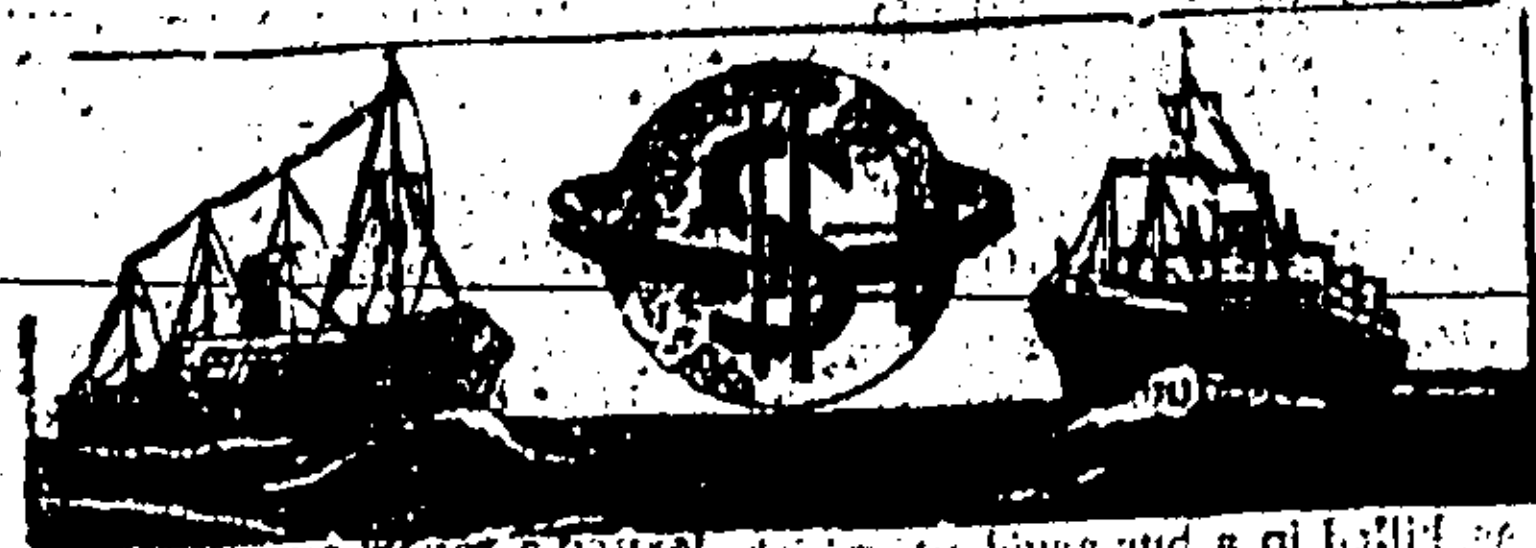
The M/S
"ASIA"
having arrived, Consignees of
cargo are hereby informed that
all goods are being landed and
placed at their risk into the
hazardous and/or extra hazardous
Godowns of the Hongkong and
Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co.,
Ltd., where delivery can be
obtained as soon as the goods are
landed.

No claims will be admitted
after the goods have left the
Godowns and all goods remain-
ing undelivered after the 8th of
September, 1924 will be subject
to rent.

All broken, chafed and
damaged goods are to be left in
the Godowns, where they will be
examined by Messrs. Anderson
& Ashco. on the 8th. of Sept.
1924, at 10 a.m.

All claims against the vessel
must be presented to the Under-
signed before the 11th. of
Sept. 1924, or they will not be
recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be
effected.
Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed by:
JOHN MACKENZIE & Co., Ltd.
Agents.
Hongkong, 29th. Aug. 1924.



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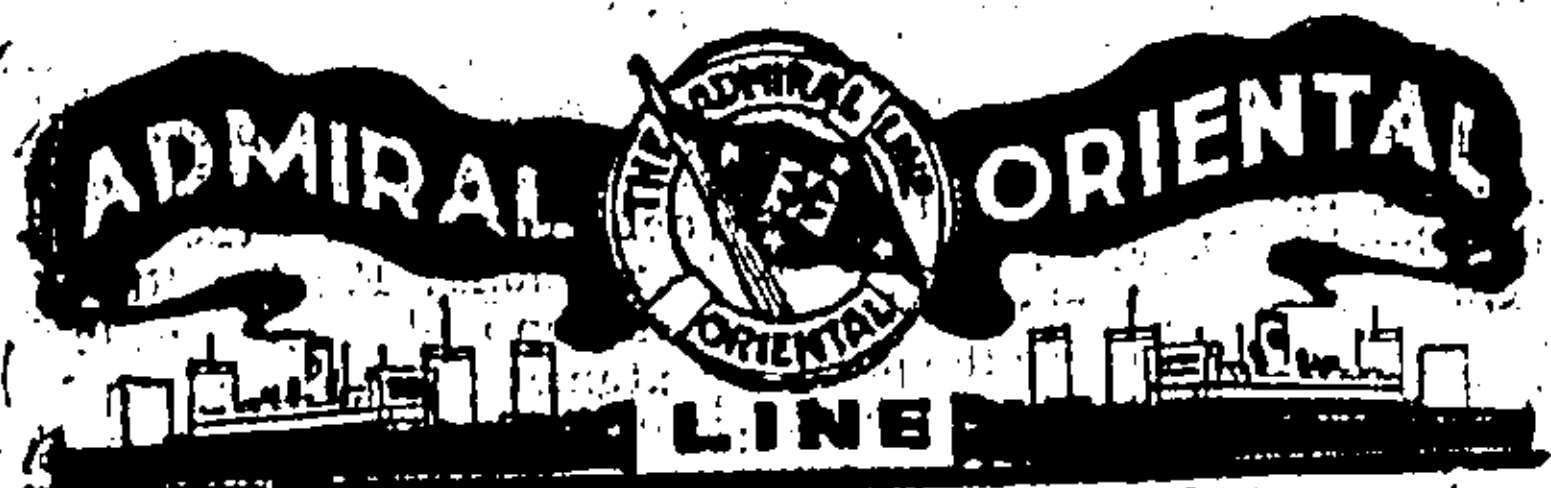
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PENYO MARU 22,000 Oct. 15.
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Sailings from Hongkong.

S.S. PERSEUS via Suez Canal 10th Sept.
S.S. CITY OF YOKOHAMA via Suez Canal 21st Sept.
S.S. TEUCER via Suez Canal 1st Oct.
Boston & New York only.

Steamers proceed via Suez Canal or Panama Canal at
Owners option Subject to change without notice.

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Leaves Hongkong 20th Sept.
U.S.S.B. "West Prospect" Due Hongkong 1st Oct.
Leaves Hongkong 2nd Oct.

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Leaves Hongkong

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NEW CROSSING GUARD.

The adoption of an automatic
railway crossing guard by the
Department of Railways for use
on all lines in Japan hinges upon
the results of the experiment
which will be conducted soon by
the Maji Railway Bureau. The
new invention is by Mr. Kosei
Nishikawa of Kobe and the
weight of train controls its opera-
tions. When the train is 1320
yards from the crossing its
vibrations on the rails causes a
warning bell to ring and when
the train reaches a distance of
900 yards from the crossing, the
gate automatically is closed,
opening only when the train has

AMERICAN FLIERS.

New York, Sept. 1.—The flight
of the American aviators, Smith
and Nelson, from Iquitos to Iquitos
was performed in perfect weat-
her. A northwest wind of from
20 to 40 miles an hour speeded up
the machines which sometimes
travelled 125 miles an hour. A
group of pressmen and a few fisher-
folk on shore cheered the arrival
of the fliers. —Reuter's American
Service.

passed. It is so devised that in
case the gate fails to close, a
danger signal is hoisted.

CONSIGNEES.

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE.

The Steamship,

"PRES. MONROE"
having arrived from New York via
ports, on Sept. 1st, 1924. Consig-
nees are hereby notified that their
cargo is being landed at their risk
into the hazardous and/or extra
hazardous godowns of the Hong-
kong and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Co., at Kowloon, and
stored at consignees' risk.

Consignees of Cargo must
produce an Import Permit signed
by Superintendent of Imports &
Exports, Hongkong, before Bills
of Lading will be countersigned.

All broken, stained & damaged
cargo is to be left in the godowns
where it will be examined at 10
a.m. on Sept. 5th, 1924, by the
Company's Surveyors, Messrs.
Carniehall and Oake.

All claims must be presented
within thirty days of the steamer's
arrival here, after which they
cannot be recognized. No claims
will be recognized after the goods
have left the godowns, and cargo
undelivered on and after 8th
Sept. 1924, will be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance whatever
will be effected.

Consignees are requested to
send in their Bills of Lading for
countersignature immediately.

United States Shipping Board.
Emergency Fleet Corporation.
Agents,

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE.

4, Des Vaux Road.

Hongkong, Sept. 1st, 1924.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

SERVICES CONTRACTUELS
DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

S.S. "ANDRE LEBON"

Consignees of Cargo from
Marseilles &c. also cargo ex S.S.
"LIEUTENANT DE LA TOUR"
from Cognac.

In connection with above
Steamer are hereby informed that
their goods with the exception of
Opium, Treasures and Valuables
are being landed and stored at
their risks into the Godowns of
the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Co., Ltd. Kowloon
whence delivery may be obtained
immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forward-
ed on unless intimation is receiv-
ed from the Consignees before
noon to-day requesting it to be
landed here.

Bills of Lading will be counter-
signed by the Undersigned, Goods
remaining unclaimed after the
6th. instant, at Noon will be
subject to rent and landing
charges.

All claims must be sent in to
me on or before the 10th. inst.
or they will not be recognized.
All damaged packages will be
examined on Saturday the
6th. inst. at 10 a.m. by Messrs.
Goddard & Douglas.
No Fire Insurance has been
effected.

R. RODENFUSER.

Acting Agent.
Hongkong, 1st. 1st, 1924.

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

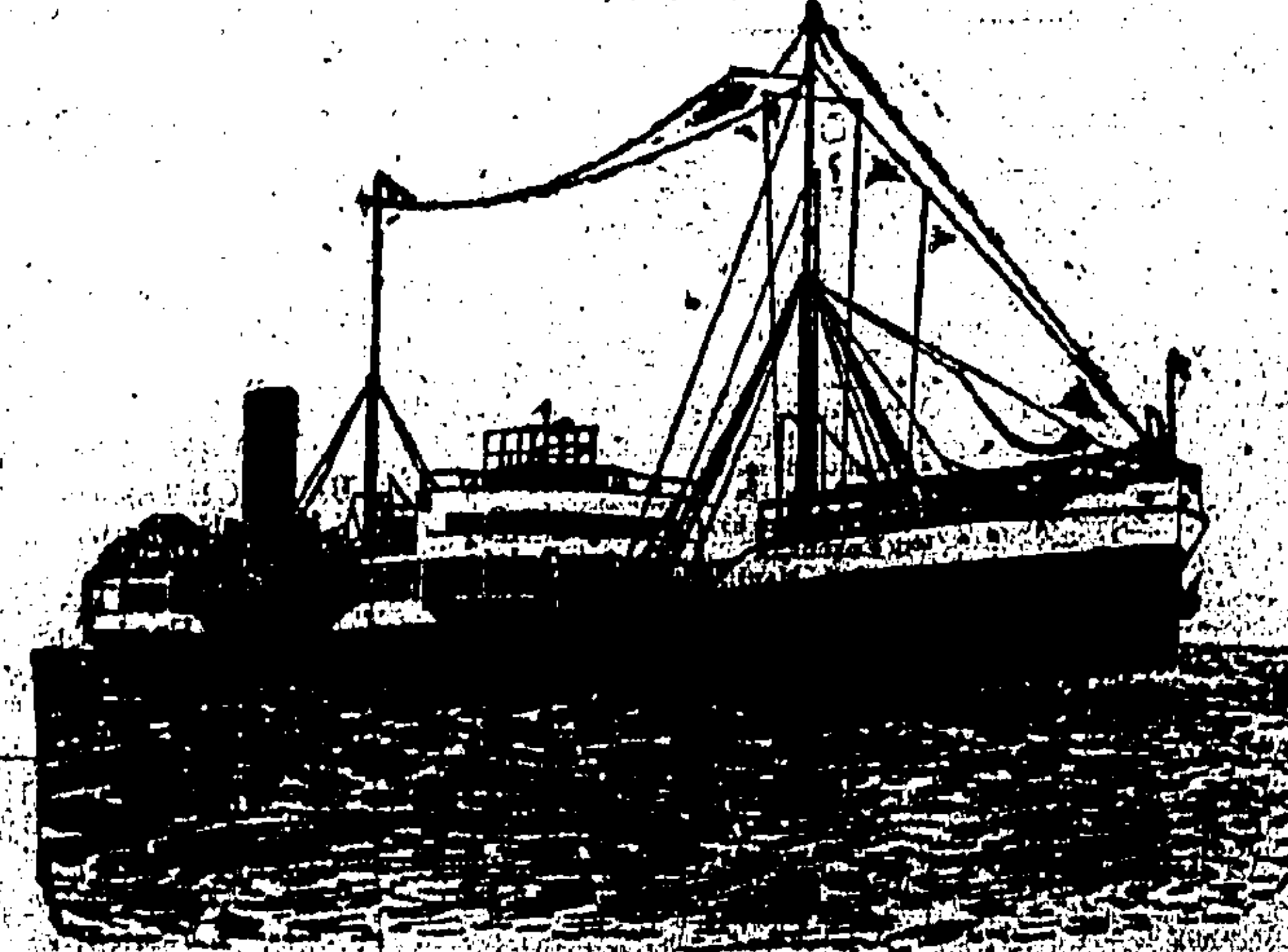
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OIL TANK STEAMER "PALUDINA"

412 0' x 55' 1' x 31' 0' 3,400 tons net 2,100 tons

Built by the HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO. LTD. at KOWLOON
in the order of THE ANGLO-SAXON PETROLEUM CO. LTD. for the
purpose of carrying OIL. The ship is now in the hands of the
Anglo-Saxon Petroleum Co. Ltd. and is available for charter.
Please address enquiries to the Anglo-Saxon Petroleum Co. Ltd.
10, Abchurch Lane, London, E.C. 4.

SHARE QUOTATIONS.

Stock Exchange.	Sharebrokers' Association.		
H.K. & S. Bank (London)	b.	1200	b.
Chartered Bank	b.	£137	b.
Mercantile Banks A & B	b.	£20	b.
Mercantile Banks O	b.	£29 1/4	b.
P. & O. Bank	b.	£12 1/4	b.
Bank of E. Asia	b.	£11	b.
	b.	99	b.
	b.	100	b.
Canton	b.	720	b.
China Underwriters	b.	134	b.
North China	b.	180	b.
Union	b.	140	b.
Yangtze	b.	233	b.
	b.	232	b.
	b.	30	b.
China Fires	b.	175	b.
H.K. Fire	b.	590	b.
	b.	600	b.
Douglases	b.	62	b.
H.K. Steamboats	b.	48	b.
H.K. Tugs	b.	3 1/2	b.
Indos (Prof.)	b.	38	b.
Indos Def. Lon/Reg.	b.	110	b.
Indos Def. H.K. Reg.	b.	110	b.
Shells	b.	80 1/2	b.
Ferries	b.	101 ca. 103 1/4	b.
Water-boats	b.	16 1/2	b.
	b.	16 1/4	b.
China Sugars	b.	360	b.
Malabon	b.	46	b.
Benguet Consol.	b.	3.20	b.
Kalian	b.	70 1/2	b.
Langkats Combined	b.	18	b.
Raubs	b.	5	b.
Tronchs	b.	44 1/2	b.
Ural Caspians	b.	10 1/2	b.
Exploration New Issue	b.	3 1/2	b.
H.K. Wharves	b.	215	b.
K. Docks	b.	163 1/2	b.
Hongkew Wharves	b.	104 1/2	b.
New Engineering	b.	6 1/2	b.
Shanghai Docks	b.	92 1/2	b.
	b.	92 1/4	b.
H.K. Hotels (cum rts.)	b.	24 1/2	b.
Do. (New) Prem.	b.	23 1/2	b.
H.K. Developments	b.	1.20	b.
H.K. Lands	b.	119	b.
H.K. Realty	b.	2	b.
H.K. Territories	b.	134	b.
Humphreys Estate	b.	24 1/2	b.
Princes Bldg.	b.	150	b.
	b.	150	b.
Ewo Cottons	b.	10 1/4	b.
Oriental	b.	3 1/2	b.
Shanghai Cottons Old	b.	55	b.
Shanghai Cottons New	b.	30	b.
	b.	32	b.
Canton Ices	b.	8 1/4	b.
Cements (cum rts.)	b.	20 1/4	b.
Do. (New) Prem.	b.	5 1/2	b.
Cements (Combined)	b.	35 1/4	b.
Ropes (Combined)	b.	61	b.
China Light Old	b.	18	b.
Do. New	b.	12 s. 12.10	b.
China Providents Old	b.	16 1/4	b.
Do. New	b.	5.10	b.
Constructions	b.	6	b.
Dairy Farms	b.	27 1/4	b.
Der A Wing (f.p.)	b.	10	b.
(p.p.)	b.	2 1/2	b.
Electrics H.K. Old	b.	42 1/2 s. 43 1/2	b.
Electrics Macao	b.	38	b.
Hongkong Ropes Old	b.	19.60	b.
H.K. Ropes (New) Prem.	b.	7	b.
Hongkong Tramways	b.	41 1/4	b.
Lane Crawfords	b.	18 1/4	b.
Macintosh	b.	23 1/2	b.
Peak Trams Old	b.	20 1/4	b.
Peak Trams New	b.	4 1/2	b.
Sinceros	b.	13 1/2	b.
Taxis	b.	4 1/4	b.
Watsons	b.	27	b.
Wm. Powells	b.	15	b.
Nanyang Tob.	b.	15	b.
China Buses	b.	10 1/4	b.

Hongkong, September 2, 1923.

HONGKONG SMALL INVESTORS
For the convenience of clients we are moving to more suitable and commodious quarters and shall be installed at the Ground Floor, Ice House Street, next to Hughes & Hough, from the 1st of September. Our telephone will still continue to be C.4650 and we shall be pleased to attend inquiries reference disposal or acquisition of large or small lots of shares at our new address.

Tel. C. 4650.
Ground Floor, corner Des Vaux Road and Ice House Street.

EXCHANGE.

(Opening Rate: closing Rate on Page 1.)

SELLING.

100 s/a. Bank of India and New York	3 1/4
100 s/a. Bank of China	2 1/4
100 s/a. Bank of Communications	10 1/2
100 s/a. Bank of Shanghai	10 1/2
100 s/a. Bank of Canton	10 1/2
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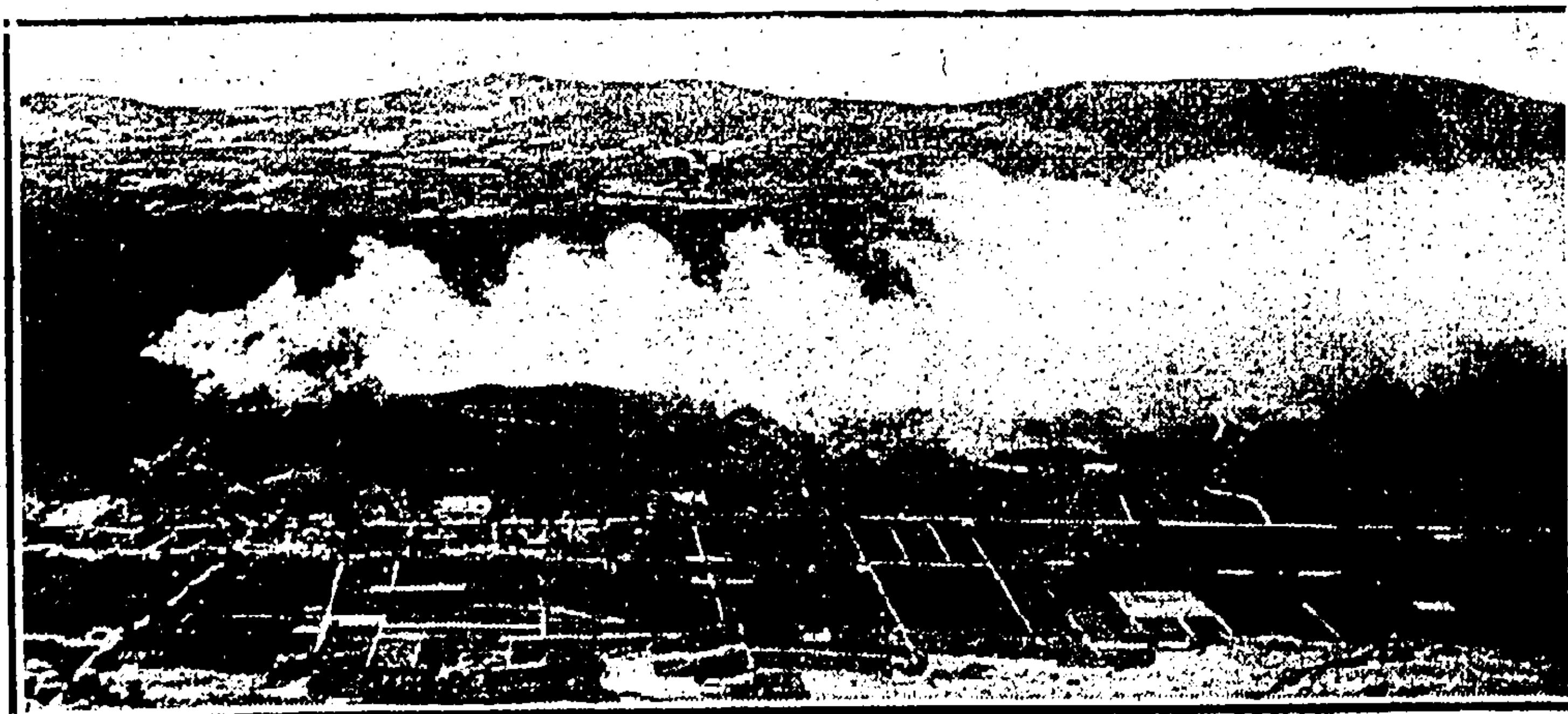
SUZANNE AS UMPIRE.—Here Mlle. Longlen is seen umpiring at Olympic Games tennis matches.



IN NATIONAL GARB.—This kiltie headed the Scottish contingent at the Olympic Games.



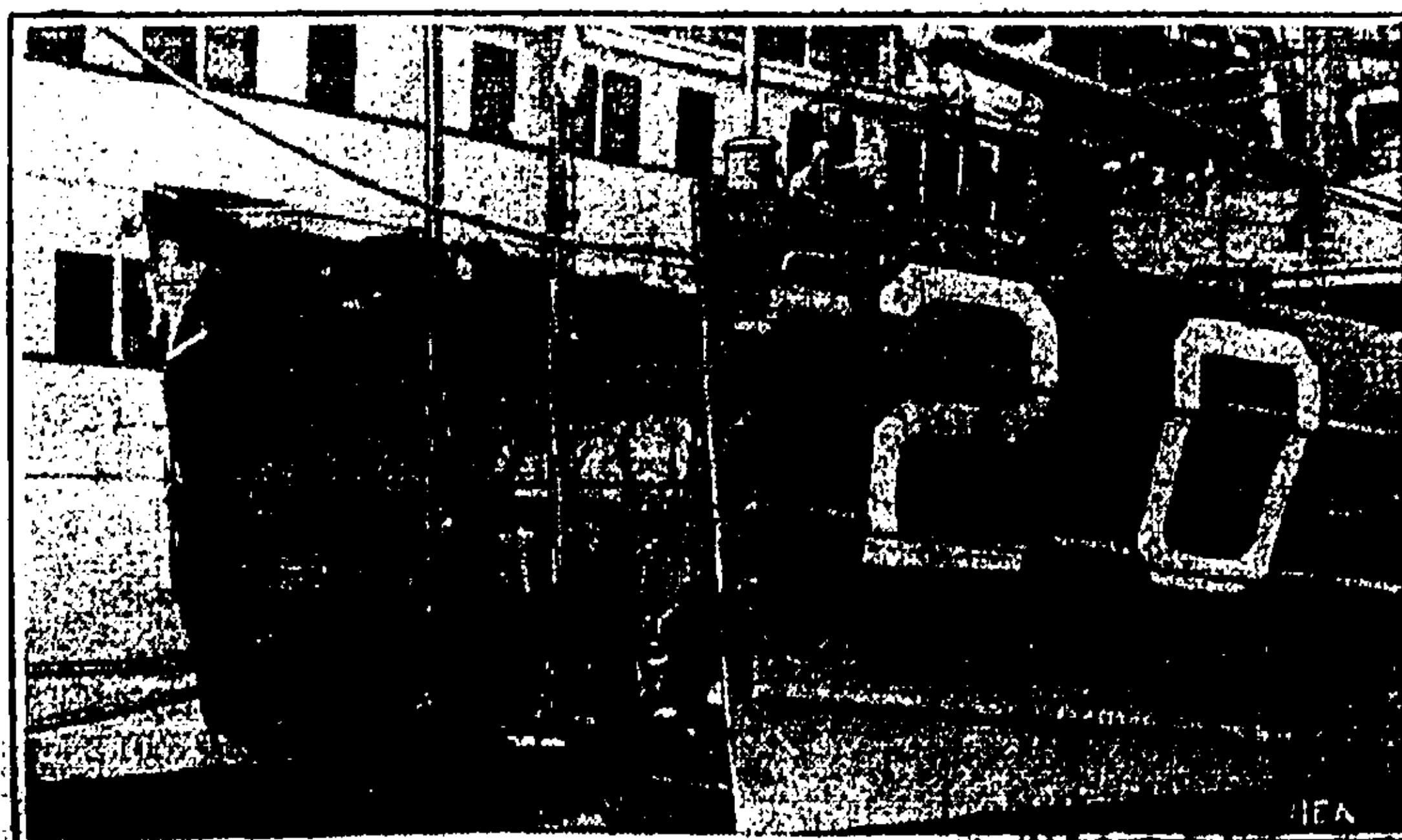
FAMOUS RUNNER.—Here is Nurmi, the Finnish athlete who has just broken five world's running records.



A FOREST FIRE: This is an aeroplane view of one of the many forest fires recently raging in California and other Pacific coast states. Scores, unable to fight their way out through the fire and clouds of smoke, have perished. The above picture was taken near Santa Barbara.



AT OLYMPIC GAMES.—General John J. Pershing was an interested spectator at the Olympic games. Here he is in the grandstand.



STEAMER RAMMED.—This is the great hole that was torn in the side of the steamer Boston when she was rammed by the tanker Swift Arrow off Judith Point. It was here that several passengers were killed. Hundreds of others were taken to Newport and to New York by rescue boats answering the S. O. S. call. Here the disabled vessel is being towed to Newport.



QUEEN OF ETHIOPIA.—One of the few photographs for which the Queen of Ethiopia has posed, with her advisors and maids of honour surrounding her. She is the wife of Rex Tafari, the picturesque monarch of Abyssinia and Ethiopia, who now is touring in Europe.

TWO-MINUTE TALKS A Daily Tonic
By ROBERT POWELL

BRIGHT AND EARLY.

To be up bright and early in the morning is undoubtedly a good practice. Let us beware, however, of erecting it into a positive virtue. I know of some persons who are a nuisance to all around them. To rise betimes and to snatch an hour before other people are stirring is a fine idea, providing we do not make such a song about it that everybody else is weary of hearing what time we forsake the sheets. Worse, still, it is to make so much fuss and clatter that nobody else can rest while we are stirring. In all these matters moderation and common-sense are needed. I know of confirmed early risers who disturb the whole household in pursuit of what they call "Life's greatest virtue."

There are natural early risers and others who endure a martyrdom each moment which draws them nearer to the inevitable when they must get out of bed. The former are usually dull company at night, for they have spent their energies and must away to the land of Nod. But the latter light up at evening, and begin to sparkle when most folk want to be abed. A matter of temperament, and not to be confused with any special quality of goodness.

I do not deny the advantages of early rising. All precepts shake off slumber in good time and is out and about while the day is yet young. There is a healthful freshness in the early air, and a special joy in seeing Nature "New recreated after Nights dark hours." But it does not appeal to everybody. Some of the greatest geniuses have "heard the lark sing" while others have come creeping down sleep, like a slug when noon is striking. Plough deep while sluggards sleep. And you shall have corn to sell or keep" cried Benjamin Franklin in his "Poor Richard," and it is true that the great American made a practice of rising at four every morning. "Wash thy face in the morning dew, and you shall health and strength renew" is a time-worn adage. Yet still many of us have a sneaking comfort in the trenchant words of Dr. Johnson: "Why, yes, sir, early rising 'tis good—for fools and those who are too restless to stay abed."

There is a medium in every thing. Sloth we know is bad, and means a waste of the hours. But he moderate, even in your early rising, make no boast of it—and see that your "virtue" does not disturb others who find it too hard to cultivate.

CORRESPONDENCE.

(To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph.")

Capital Punishment.

Sir, In view of the recent attention shown to the matter of capital punishment, it is interesting to read your article on "Sympathy." In it you say that the outpourings of the milk of human kindness on the subject of the death sentence are a study for the psychologist. If one may judge from reports of debates in the House of Commons on the Abolition of Capital Punishment, the ordinary person has not become acquainted with the opinion of one of the most sound and balanced of modern psychologists. In his Social Psychology, William McDougall deals with this question in the course of a chapter on the Parental Instinct. The parental instinct, he says, works directly in the service of the species that is dependent on it for its continued existence. (It may be noted that this instinct is weaker and sometimes altogether lacking in man). Arising from this instinct is the tender emotion which is primarily protective. In the face of opposition or danger to the beloved object this tender emotion is provoked to great and, it may be, destructive anger. According to McDougall, this anger "is the germ of all moral indignation" and "the right understanding of it is fundamental for a true theory of the moral sentiments." On moral indignation, justice and the greater part of public law are in the main founded.

We find therefore that protection and punishment alike are, it would be well to think, eternally founded in the parental instinct. Socially this instinct with its accompanying emotion, complicated by sympathetic pain, is so extended as to include not only one's own or the young of others, but also all who are weak, defenceless, or the victims of cruelty. Then arises the anger or moral indignation against the perpetrator of the cruelty. At this point McDougall gives as his personal opinion "It is a fair question whether amongst those nations that pride themselves upon having obtained so high a state of civilisation that they can no longer inflict capital punishment, the greater clemency of the law should not be attributed to a relative deficiency in the strength of the parental instinct in the mass of the people and to a consequent relative incapacity for moral indignation."

Then there are other psychologists who deplore the present production of negative men and women in whom, perhaps, moral indignation might be feeble or lacking. But it is a fascinating and an endless subject for discussion. If there is still in the human race a "tendency to murder" and if capital punishment, with its occasional mistakes and apparent cruelties, goes to abolish that tendency, then it is

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

YORKSHIRE AGAIN ON TOP.

London, Sept. 1.
Yorkshire has won the county cricket championship for the third year in succession, beating Sussex at Brighton to-day by an innings and 110 runs.

Sussex scored 60, Kilner taking 5 for 18, and then 83, Kilner taking 7 for 37. Yorkshire contributed 253 for 9, declared, Holmes contributing 88.

SOUTH AFRICA vs. WORCESTER.

The match between Worcester-shire and the South Africans opened at Worcester in dull weather, on an easy wicket, before a fair attendance. The South Africans scored 276, Root taking 5 for 83. Worcester replied with 161, McIntyre taking 4 for 38, Carter 3 for 44, and Peggler 3 for 21. *Reuter.*

CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

TO FIGHT HIGH FINANCE.

Ghent, Sept. 1.
The opening of the eleventh International Co-Operative Congress was attended by five hundred representatives from all the European countries. Hoer Goodhart, of Holland, the chairman, appealed to all the peoples of the world for an extension of co-operative institutions.

It was announced that a meeting was to be held in Rome for the purpose of creating a great international co-operative bank with a view to fighting high finance, with its anti-co-operative tendencies. *Reuter.*

a moot point whether the abolition of such a penalty would lead to the ultimate benefit of the race. Yours etc.

B. C. WESTON
Hongkong Sept. 1st, 1924.

A Kowloon Nuisance.

Sir, Will you allow me the courtesy of your columns to draw the attention of the relevant authority to the very filthy and foul-smelling state of the site situated next to East View Buildings, Coronation Road, Kowloon?

Building operations are now taking place on this site, and the unfenced-off space is being used for storing of bricks, bamboo poles, etc. In consequence, "corners" are created (not visible from the road), and these corners are a most ideal and convenient latrine to the labourers and to coolies generally. I think this unfenced-off space is Crown land, and, therefore, whoever stored the bricks, etc., there is trespassing.

Will the powers-that-be kindly look into this matter at once with a view to a removal of the nuisance?

Yours etc.,
"POSKITT."

DAY BY DAY.

We are asked to state that the Admiral Oriental Liner President Madison will sail for Manila at 5 p.m. to-morrow, and not at midnight, as previously advised.

At the Marine Court this morning, eight boat women were each fined \$5 or five days' imprisonment, for allowing their boats to lie in-shore during prohibited hours.

Highway robbers armed with revolvers held up two Chinese seamen who were on their way back to their ship, the Empress of Canada, at an early hour this morning on the Kowloon-City Road and robbed them of \$18.

A report made to the police yesterday revealed that the car which came into collision with the Mercury garage two-seater on the Repulse Bay Road above Deep Water Bay belongs to Mr. Keating, manager of the brick works near-by.

Only six cases of typhoid fever were notified last week, the sufferers being four Chinese, one British and one Portuguese. None of the cases ended fatally. During yesterday, however, four further cases were reported, two British and two Chinese.

August was a very rainy month in Hongkong, the fall registered at the Botanical Gardens totalling 14.29 inches. There were only eleven days on which no rain was registered, and the highest total for any one day was 5.07 inches, on the 12th.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Mr. Langier was charged with driving his motor-car on the wrong side of the road in Kowloon on the 19th instant. Defendant said he took his car from the shelter at the ferry and drove along the bus route to put it on a lighter. He was discharged with a caution.

Whilst examining a revolver brought to Hongkong by a Chinese Army officer, Li Wing-hung, living at No. 3 Caine Road, was wounded in the right knee early this morning at the Cheung Kwong Club through the accidental discharge of a shot. He was removed to the Government Civil Hospital, whilst Li Fook-tong, the officer, who lives in the King Edward Hotel, was required to make a report of the affair.

HOME "SOCCER."

ENGLISH LEAGUE RESULTS.

London, Sept. 1.
Latest football results are:
First Division.
Arsenal 1, Manchester City 0.
Aston Villa 3, Bury 3.
Blackburn 1, Newcastle 1.
Bolton 1, West Bromwich 1.
Cardiff 1, Sheffield United 1.
Notts County 1, Leeds 0. *Reuter.*

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Shanghai Cotton.—Tls. 50 buyers.

WRIT SERVICE.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

In the Appeal Court this morning the appeal of Messrs. Cary and Co., heard yesterday, was dismissed with costs.

Mr. N. I. Brewer represented the appellants and Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., the respondents. Mr. Justice Gompertz said he had little to add to what he had said in the Court below. He was satisfied that the appearance of Mr. Silva on the firm's behalf was regular and not void. It was possible, as Mr. Potter had said, that Clause 41 of the Code applied, but he did not base his decision on that. The appeal must be dismissed. Mr. Justice Dyer Ball concurred.

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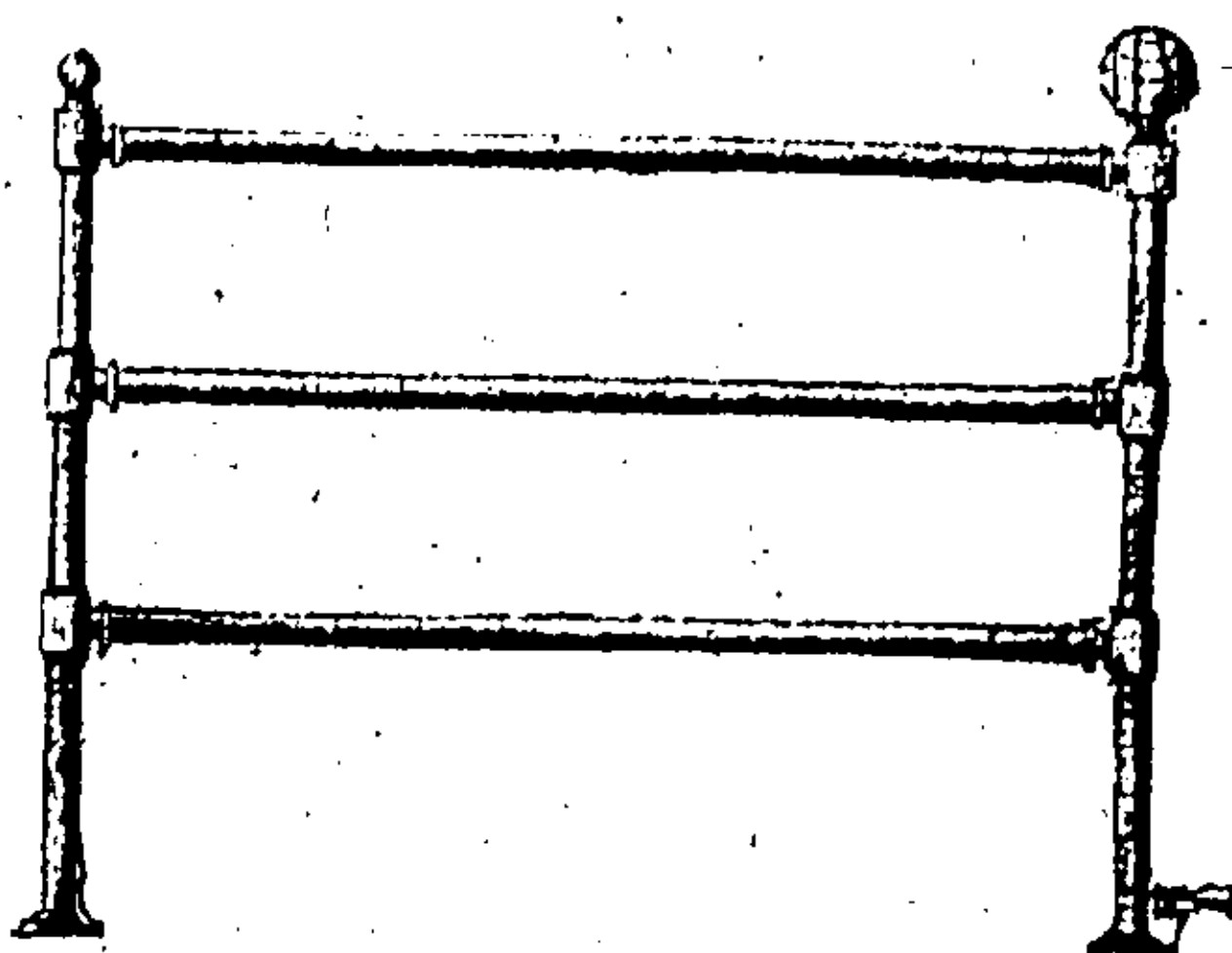
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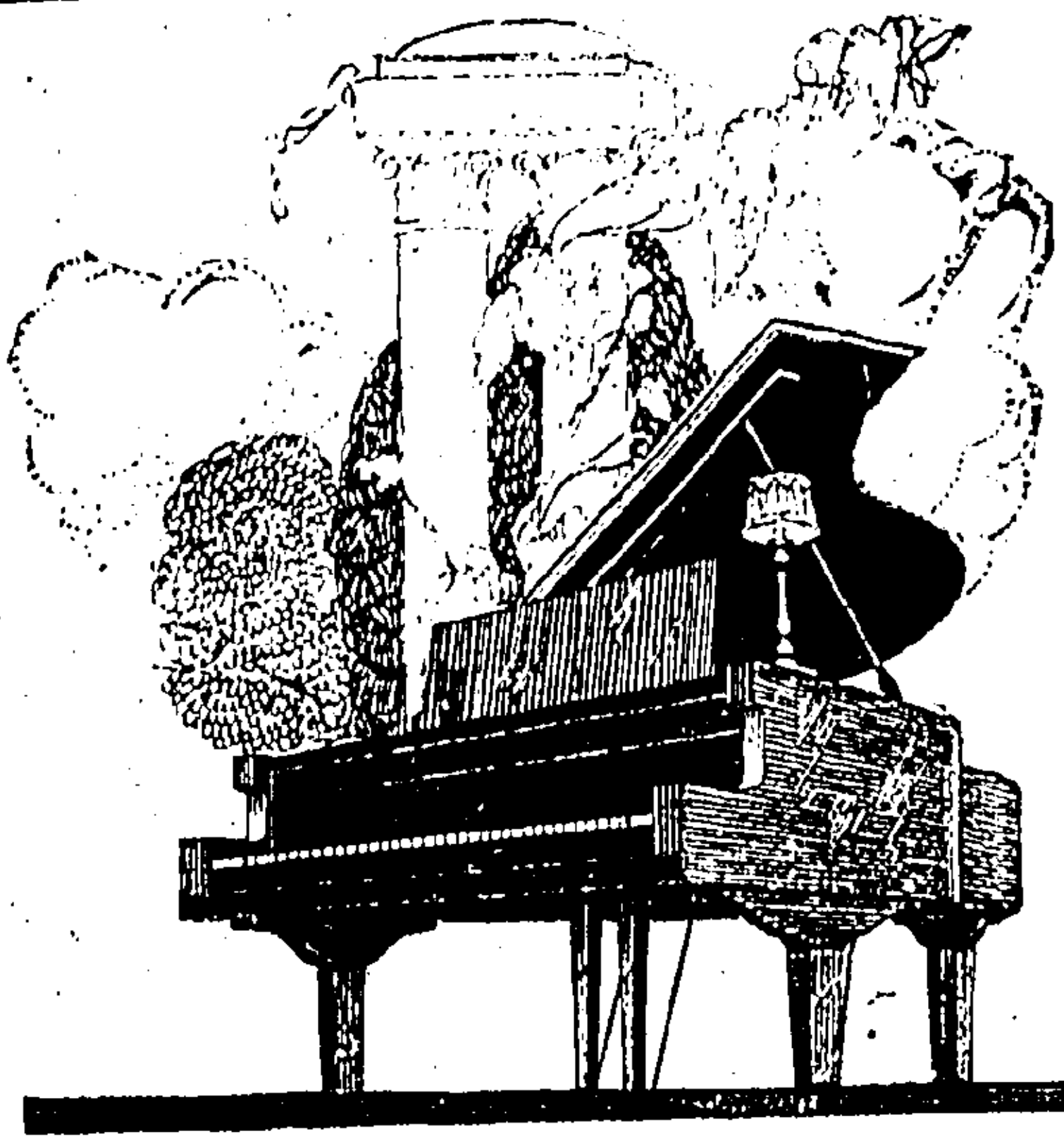


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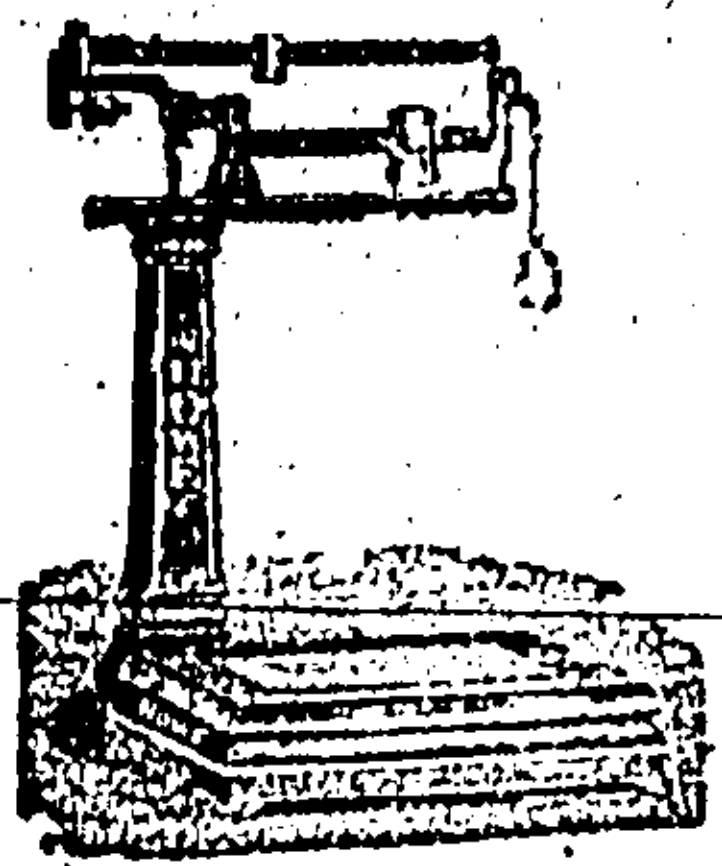
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OUR FOOD LAWS.

One of the objects which the Unofficial members of the Legislative Council had in mind when they pressed for the creation of a Public Health Department at last Thursday's meeting was the proper inspection and control of food. From the wording of the resolution, the inference was that there is at present no adequate inspection or control of the Colony's foodstuffs. Considering the size of the Colony and the fact that there are close on a million people living within its confines, we cannot resist the conclusion that this is so. During the course of the debate, His Excellency stated that if there is any suggestion that there is lack of inspection, and that deleterious food is being sold without adequate inspection, the Government would certainly be prepared to consider increasing the staff of officers on whom this work falls. The purpose of this article, therefore, is to show that here in Hongkong there is not nearly the amount of inspection that there should be, taking into account the size of the population and the fact that we live in a sub-tropical climate.

It is under the Sale of Food and Drugs Ordinance that the Colony's food supplies are supposed to be protected. By that Ordinance, "food" is described as any article used for food or drink by man other than drugs or water, whilst "drug" includes medicine for internal and external use. Amongst other things, the Ordinance covers the mixture of food with any injurious ingredient, whilst under its clauses sanitary inspectors, inspectors of weights and measures, inspectors of markets and police officers are empowered to procure samples for analysis under the Ordinance. Now, how many samples were taken under the Ordinance during the whole of last year? Sixty-two, to be exact, and of these no fewer than fifty-seven were milk, the remainder being made up of one sample each of tea, flour, bread, lard and coffee. In other words, in a Colony of this size, with the danger of disease ever present, the samples taken averaged just over five per month. Does anyone imagine that that represents a tithe of what should be done under our pure food laws? Why

that record could be excused by many a moderate-sized town at home, where prosecutions for the sale of impure food are almost weekly occurrences. How often do we hear of such prosecutions here? Yet it will surely not be contended that, amongst the huge Chinese population, impure food is unknown. What is noteworthy in the list of analyses made last year is that not a single instance of examining tinned food or medicines occurs, neither is there any mention of samples of meat, sausages or the thousand and one Chinese prepared foods having been taken for examination under the Ordinance. Moreover, considering the bread, lard and flour which is consumed by the native and European population during a year, can it be seriously suggested that possible impurities are likely to be discovered when throughout the whole twelve months only one sample each of these commodities is taken? Then we think also of the raw and cooked meats which we see carried through our dusty streets absolutely uncovered, or, at best, hidden beneath a filthy piece of waterproof material. Can all that food be pure by the time it reaches the consumer? Obviously not.

So far, therefore, as food inspection goes in this Colony, the conditions leave very much to be desired. A Far Eastern city like this, with its teeming native population, should employ a staff of men doing nothing else but food inspection before it can claim to be regarded as modern and thorough-going in its methods. Yet the work at present devolves in the main on a handful of sanitary inspectors who have more than enough to do in other spheres. Most assuredly more men are needed to see to the proper enforcement of our pure food laws, whether we have a Public Health Department or not. We trust that we have said enough to convince His Excellency on this point at any rate.

Canton's Merchants.

Now, that the strike of all merchants at Canton has to all intents and purposes been settled, we can review the position which has led to the existence of such outstanding grievances that the Volunteers became a necessity, and the threat of resistance had to be resorted to before a relaxation of the high-handed action of the administration could be obtained. Like the policeman of the Cantonian fame, the merchant's lot, in Canton, is not a happy one. We trust that now there has been a settlement of sorts between Dr. Sun and the trading classes, some attention will be paid to the disabilities which the mercantile body has had to labour under for some years past. What enraged the merchants as much as anything else, was the sale of so-called public properties, the sale of temples, of monasteries, and of landed property belonging to the merchants (falsely assessed by commission-owners as public property), all for the sake of adding to the coffers of the faction running the administration of the city. There have been heavy taxes levied in all manner of ways, and under various fantastic guises, very often by sheer intimidation. There has been constant trouble with the unruly soldiers, often little better than bandits, and the premises of the trading classes have been occupied at times by force in order to extort harassing concessions.

Reform Called For.

It is time the Canton authorities realised that these acts on their part have caused grave resentment among the merchants, and have done considerable harm to their business. Therefore it is high time the administration put a full stop to the illegal practices of the past, and attempted to regain at least the toleration of the mercantile classes. As it is, the Government is about to receive a windfall of \$500,000, through the arms settlement, from the long-suffering merchants, and this should relieve the financial

DAY BY DAY.

THREE THINGS MATTER—WHAT YOU SAY, HOW IT IS SAID, AND WHO SAYS IT. AND THE LAST IS THE ONLY THING THAT REALLY MATTERS.—Dr. Harman.

We have received a copy of the annual report of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce.

"Spiritualism" will be the subject of this week's public lecture of the Hongkong Lodge of the Theosophical Society, 16, Queen's Rd. Central, on Wednesday Sept. 3rd, at 5.45 p.m. All are welcome.

A young Chinese maid-servant fell from the second floor of No. 44 Taiyuen Street yesterday when she overbalanced herself in drawing up the bamboo blinds of the verandah. The drop was a 30 foot one and the girl was killed instantaneously, her neck being broken.

Hongkong is to have something superlative in the way of a musical treat in about two months' time, when the famous Westminster Gleo Singers, are to appear here after a big tour in Australia. Mr. Charles Stoughton, who is managing the tour, is now in Hongkong, staying at the Hongkong Hotel until the 5th instant.

Amongst the passengers who arrived by the Empress of Canada were His Excellency Mr. Liang Shih-yi (former Chinese Minister of Finance), with wife and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sutherland, Mrs. J. J. Harrington, Miss E. Middleton Smith, Miss M. D. Birt, Mr. A. Cameron, Mr. P. D. Sutherland, Mr. R. F. Mattingley, Mr. J. S. Gubbay, Mr. S. M. Churn and Mr. F. J. Tavares.

The Master of the s.s. Empress of Canada, which arrived in port yesterday afternoon, has reported that just before the ship reached Shanghai, a Chinese stevedore passenger, named Sim Tun-ken, jumped overboard and was drowned. Lifebuoys were thrown out and the ship immediately turned round. A lifeboat was also lowered and a search made, but the body was not recovered.

According to St. John's Cathedral Notes, Mr. Donnan Fuller writes from a nursing home in Bournemouth expressing thanks for the recent gifts from the Cathedral congregation and other members of the community, and also expresses his appreciation at the honour done him by placing a plate in the Cathedral commemorating his work in connection with the organ. Whilst he shows some signs of progress, he still has dreadful relapses. His many friends will wish him a speedy recovery to health.

There was a most appreciative audience in Statue Square gardens last evening when the Band of the 1st Battalion East Surrey Regiment, under Bandmaster W. E. Bradshaw, gave a most delightful number of selections. Amongst the finest numbers played were a selection from "I Pagliacci" and the "Prelude to the 2nd Act of 'Lohengrin,'" whilst in Schubert's "Ständchen" and Brewer's "Golden Sparks," respectively, Lance Corp. H. Kidd, with the cornet, and Bandsman R. Briffitt, as piccoloist, were responsible for splendid solo work.

situation considerably. Owing to the interference with commerce, through all the political trouble of recent years, the unchecked piracy, and the unrest and general lawlessness in different districts, the mercantile community of Canton, and neighbourhood, has lost millions of dollars, and trade has receded on a set-back from which it will probably take years to recover. Other illegal acts which have damaged the commerce of the affected region have included the forcible conscription of labourers, many of whom have never been heard of again by their families, who in most cases have had to suffer the loss of the chief breadwinner. We look forward with interest to the future policy of the Canton Government, and trust that the clique in power will make every effort to retrieve the goodwill of those over whom they have undertaken with the merchants in good faith, so as to put an end to the constant strife which is proving such a drag on progress in the whole of South China.

WICKERSHAM CASE.

MR. BREWER'S ADDRESS.

Police Methods Criticised.

An interesting stage was reached this afternoon, at the Police Court, in the case in which David Bolknep Wickersham was charged with issuing false statements in connection with the American Asiatic Commercial Company, of which he was President, when Mr. N. I. Brewer, who is defending addressed the Bench.

Mr. Brewer said:—I feel a sense of impotence regarding this case. Perhaps an Ibsen might adequately describe the gross stupidity, wilful malice and gross illegality that has characterised it. I cannot. We have had three witnesses for the defence, people of unblemished record such as few possess, sound business folk of high standing and good reputation. They have been forced to stand in a pillory for weeks, have had their private premises raided, private documents taken, and single documents, including personal letters between friends, produced without reference to their context, produced without regard to their illegal source, and misconstrued with every ingenious unaided possibility. From this searchlight glare of publicity, they have emerged unshaken, with every jot and tittle explained, from an ordeal that not a half-dozen in Hongkong could have endured successfully. Their reputation to the world has always been spotless, but nothing could speak so strongly for their real probity as that this intensive search of their private affairs revealed no hidden skeleton.

DANGER OF ARREST.

This case has clearly shown what a real danger can be to the magistrate's power of summary arrest. Anyone, however high his station, can be arrested on the word of the dirtiest coolie. It is true that an indictable offence must be substantiated by oath of the complainant, but what is an oath to Lai, or hundreds like him that our liberties should be placed at his mercy? It may be pointed out that this is adapted from the English procedure. True. But, generally speaking, your English have a sense of responsibility. "Thou shalt not bear false witness" is firmly ingrained in most. Moreover, the police can find any Englishman whose oath is queried. He cannot refuse in Canton. But the Chinese they know of this weapon and take full advantage; as a means of blackmail it is unrivalled. The more threat of criminal proceedings is generally sufficient; if not the complaint can be made, and the attendant inconvenience caused, while all the time go-betweens are pressing the victim to settle the case by payment of money. With wealthy Chinese to whom "face" is all-important, small wonder that they pay rather than submit to the kindly ministrations of the police, who treat even white people as these three have been treated. Small wonder that "go-between" has become a lucrative profession, and that blackmail, based on the magistrate's ever-ready signature, flourishes apace. To Lai, foki of a solicitor's interpreter, foki of Li Hung-mi, and a man notorious in a class that is itself a by-word—to Lai this weapon is as familiar as his alphabet, and as soon as trouble looms, he naturally flies to it to get the blow in first.

MAGISTRATE'S DISCRETION.

Why is this system tolerated? Its results are so evil? The answer might be that the hardships of the Chinese leave us indifferent, but the real reason is that the magistrate is granted a discretion. He is given a tyrant's power and relied not to use it like a tyrant. His discretion is to make a preliminary enquiry. The value of this may perhaps be exemplified by asking how, in fact, the discretion was used in this case. The magistrate had before him Lai's complaint and no other allegation. The police could have informed of Shoffor's accusation of morphine traffic. Information regarding Lai's notoriously bad character would have been thrust upon the most superficial sneaker after truth. A question or two to Lai would have shown that he (Lai) was not defrauded that his shares were bought before the pink book, before Wickersham went to Bangkok, before the pictures were taken, before the Siam entreaties were heard of, and that he invested, ment.

NEW-BELGIAN LOAN.

FLOTATION IN AMERICA.

Brussels, Sept. 1.

The Belgian Government has arranged for a six and a half per cent. loan of thirty million dollars in the United States, redeemable in twenty-five years. It is stated the money will be utilised for withdrawing the Treasury Bonds issued in the United States in 1920.—Reuter.

New York, Sept. 1.
A syndicate headed by Morgans is offering thirty million dollars Belgian Gold Bonds, mentioned earlier in a Brussels message, at a price of 94.—Reuter's American Service.

AMERICAN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

PATTERSON LOSES IN SEMI-FINAL.

Forest Hill, Sept. 1.

In the semi-finals of the American singles lawn tennis championship, Johnston beat G. L. Patterson, 6-2, 6-0, 6-0.—Reuter's American Service.

TILDEN IN FINAL.

Later.

In the other semi-final, Tilden beat Vincent Richards, 4-6, 6-2, 8-6, 4-6, 6-4.—Reuter's American Service.

his money only as an employee, with a guarantee of repurchase at par. Lai himself admitted all this in his few unwitting lapses into truth. This alone was sufficient to dismiss the case, since Lai's was the only complaint, the other conspirators not appearing till later.

Notwithstanding, the magistrate issues the warrant for Wickersham's arrest and immediately proceeds to collect evidence by means of an illegal search warrant. This warrant purported to grant power to search "for documents relating to an indictable offence." If such were legal, it would indeed be terrible. No homo would be safe and no possession private. If I have a civil remedy against my neighbour, I would foolish to enforce, when, by alleging fraud (an indictable offence), I can not only have him jailed pending trial, but by such a search warrant I can cause his inmost secrets to be revealed and also of all others living with him. Surely something suspicious ought to be found—if not the crime of which I accuse him, then something else. Fortunately such a warrant is illegal.

TACTLESSNESS ALLEGED.

But illegality of warrant was insufficient to satisfy the police, despite the unheard-of powers already granted by this document. Even these had to be overstepped. Had they obeyed the warrant, they were blameless, despite its inherent badness. Their tactlessness in entering on a sick man, and a lady in bed was but a stern adherence to duty; their search for documents under the mattress of the lady's bed but excess of zeal. The same applies to the general devastation of the premises. But what excuse was there for the presence of Lai on the search party? We are told he was there to identify documents. Words fail me at this admission. The bald statement must suffice. "The police took the accused to a private residence and asked him to point out what property, belonging to the accused or to third parties, he would like them to seize," and then they seized it. And everything that looked likely to damage the accused or his friends they have produced. And everything that might have assisted the accused, they have kept out of his possession. When the police permitted Lai to accompany them (he says they asked him to) they did a wrong. When they let him join in the search, it was a crime. The search, though illegal, was not unproductive. Many of the trophies have been produced as evidence. Much more that ought to have been produced has been suppressed to the defendant's disadvantage. Further, a miscellaneous collection was taken of no evidential value to either side, but including Mrs. Shoffor's will, her diary from 1915 to 1917, passports, and the sum of \$65, which latter has mysteriously disappeared.

SENTENCE.

Mr. Brewer proceeded to make further points, and after the address by the prosecution, defendant was convicted and sentenced to four months' imprisonment.

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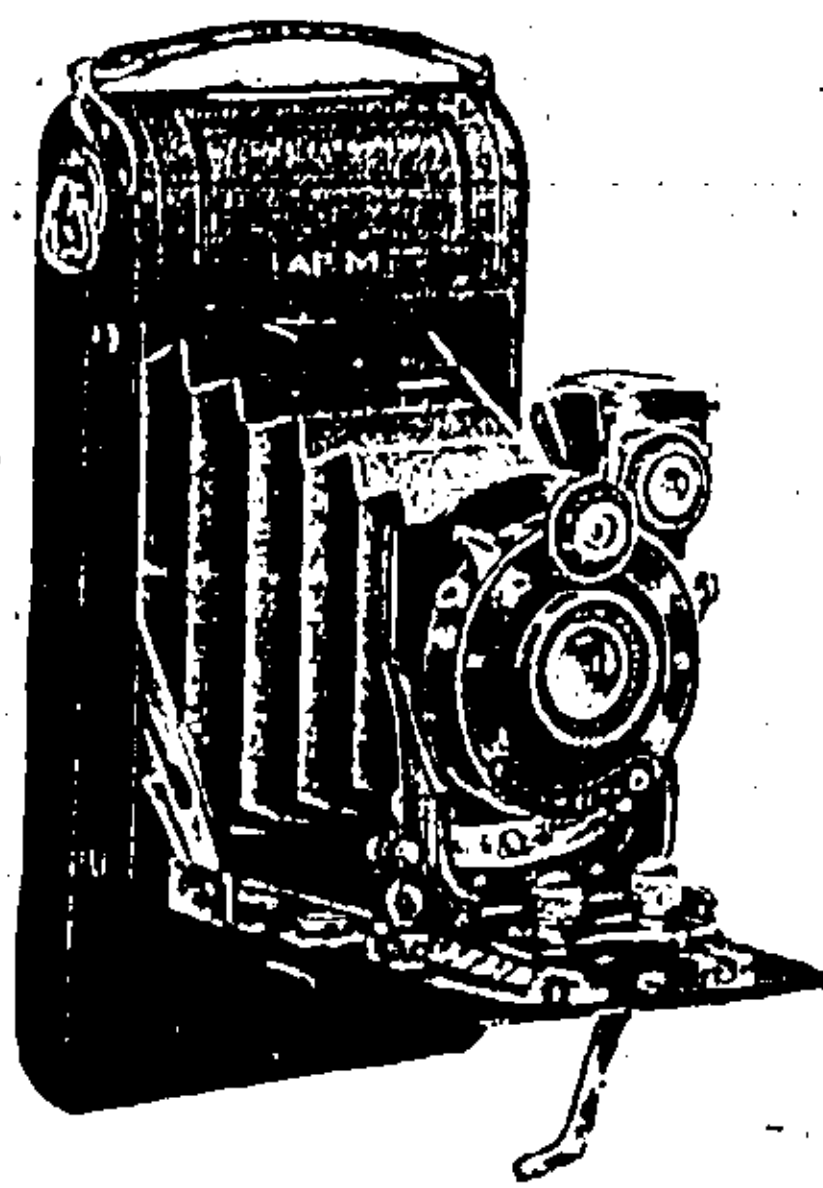
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CHINA'S WARS.

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SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, Sept. 1st.—In the course of his interview with the *N. C. Daily News*, General Lu Yung-hsiang described the Chihli Party's peace terms as a bribe. He continued:—

I have resisted bribery from others and can resist it now. The whole question is one of principle and not of my own position. I am not holding out for higher position for myself. I have certain ideals, of which the people of Chekiang approve. Those ideals I adhere to. I am not a coward; I am not afraid to fight. If I discuss peace now, the people will say I am afraid of Wu Peifu and Chi Hsiang-yuan, and that I am ready to accept any offers they might make. That is untrue. Last summer I was willing to meet Chi in Shanghai face to face to discuss our differences and find means of a settlement. He would not come. Now it is too late. I do not accept bribes and I will not run away from danger.

Unification by Force.

My position is different from that of other military officials. I am the Tupan of Chekiang by the will of the people of Chekiang. Public opinion selected me as Tupan. Wu Peifu's offer would mean I would have to desert the province of Chekiang and probably live at Pechow. The public opinion of Chekiang would be opposed to that. The people would say I am not true to my ideals, nor faithful to the trust they reposed in me. The Peking Government exists on military dictatorship. Of course anywhere a Government can be unified by force if you use enough force, but has it proved practicable? In my opinion it has only proved the policy which ruins the provinces and makes people suffer. Take for instance, the example of the province of Fukien. There has been fighting in that province for eleven years, yet there is no unification there and no peace. Wu Peifu claims he has unified Szechuan, but careful investigation of that will prove that Szechuan today is not really unified nor at peace.

Many different parties are prolonging the processes of disunion in China.

Officials Like Bandits.

The Central Government is illegal. It pays no heed to the constitution or the will of the people. Officials are often like bandits, taking what they can in any circumstances. They do their work in a most peculiar manner. A man will come to Peking from Kwangtung, Yunnan, Kweichow or Kwangsi. He will say that he can unify the province. The Government without investigation and without finding out whether the people of that province want that particular man, authorizes him to assist that general to 'unify' the province, to fill it with Chihli soldiers, to bring misery and desolation on the people. That is not unification; that is supporting banditry. Therefore I strongly oppose Wu Peifu's policy of unification by force.

The will of the People.

There is only one way to unify China, and that is by recognising the will of the people. Let each province speak for itself; let each province select its own representative, and then let the Central Government recognise that representative. That will be genuine unification. Instead of the people suffering they will benefit. The will of each province will be freely expressed. Again I want to repeat, I want no war. I made no attack, I was attacked, but I cannot negotiate on basis of deserting Chekiang or opposing the will of the people.

Chang-Tso-lin to Help.

Shanghai, Sept. 1.—Interviewed by the *Shanghai Mercury*, Dr. T. S. K. Loh, Chief Secretary of General Ho Feng-lin, declared definitely that Chang Tso-lin would render every assistance to Chekiang.

Gen. Chi Ready to Move.

Shanghai, Sept. 1.—Reuter's special correspondent, telegraphing from Siakwan, says that General Chi is ready to advance on Shanghai. A decisive move is expected in four or five days. General Chi firmly intends to regain Shanghai and unless General Lu peacefully concedes the territory, it is expected that Chi will advance from Quinsan, causing Lu to withdraw.

of repel the advance, thus opening the war and thereby confirming Chi's statement that he will not fire the first shot.

General Chi commands 100,000 men, which can be increased through an evident agreement with Wu Peifu, giving Chi the preponderance. Chi considers the control of Shanghai to be the major point of a policy which would have been settled last year but for a disagreement with Wu Peifu. The excellence of the plans surprised the Nanking public, who were unaware of the concentrations for several days. The bulk of the troops moved to the front in boats, secretly and at night. Only the troop trains revealed their passage.

It is reported that General Wu will provide more men from Anhui. Several big aeroplanes reached Nanking from Nanyuan by rail on Saturday. Mediation is proceeding but the Peking delegates have been coldly received, owing to contrary opinion in the Shanghai question. It is believed that only Chi's control of Shanghai can avoid war.—Reuter.

American Precautions.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Three destroyers have been ordered to Shanghai and a gunboat to Amoy as a precaution.—Reuter's American Service.

CULT OF BLOOD.

A London message of July 26th states: Thousands of Eastbourne holiday makers have been taking trips in motor cars and char-a-bancs to the bungalow at the Crumbles where Emily Kaye was murdered. They paid one shilling each for admission to the cottage, and of that amount the Government received two-pence for entertainment tax, the remainder being shared between the owner of the house and a neighbour, who acted as a guide. The surroundings of the bungalow have become like those of a fair, with ice cream stalls, etc. The owner of the premises said that he was forced to admit members of the public to the cottage, as hundreds of persons surrounded the place, threatening to break into it unless they were admitted. At a late hour to-night it was announced that he had decided not to admit any more sightseers to the bungalow.

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HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Club will be held in the Board Room of Messrs Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on FRIDAY, September 5th 1924 at 5.30 p.m. for the purpose of confirming the resolutions passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 14th August 1924.

By Order,
 C. B. BROWN,
 Secretary.
 Hongkong, 26th August 1924.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fifth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday 11th, and Monday 13th. October 1924 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Race Course, Hongkong Club, and Causeway Bay Stables. Entries close on 27th. Sept. 1924.

HONGKONG REALTY AND TRUST CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the First Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders of HONGKONG REALTY & TRUST CO., LTD., will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of September, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the Fifteen months ended the 30th June 1924; confirming the appointment of Directors, and re-electing Directors and the Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of September 1924 until WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of September 1924, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
 PERCY H. SUCKLING,
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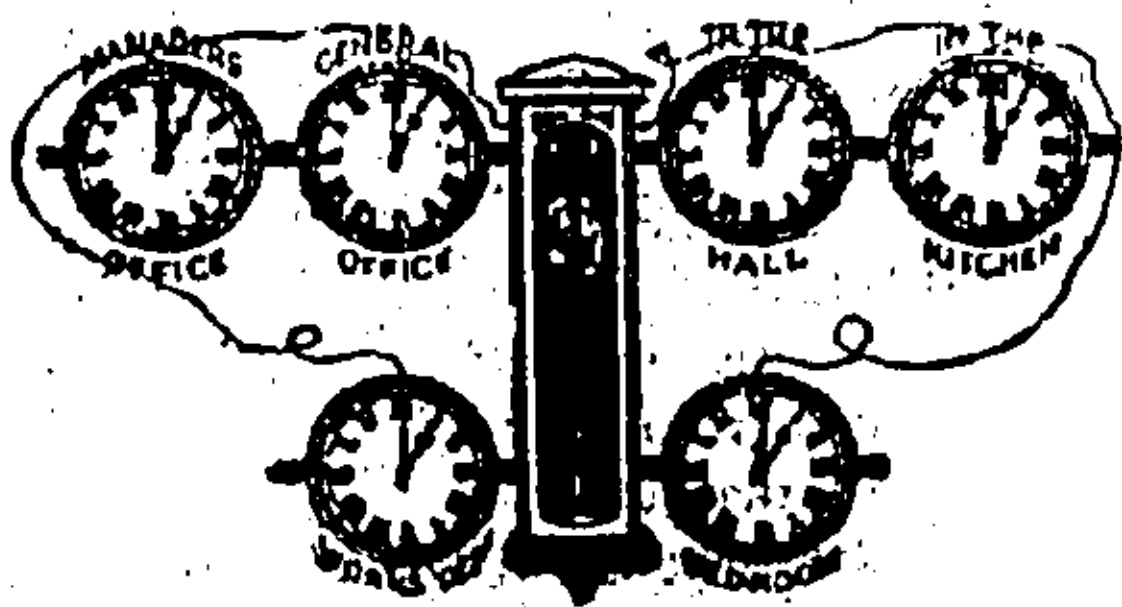
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KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB.**LAST YEAR'S ACTIVITIES.**

The annual Report and Statement of Accounts of the Kowloon Cricket Club have just been issued. The Report states:

Finance.—The profit for the year is \$509.68 only, this being due to heavy expenditure in connection with repairs, additions, and alterations to the pavilion and ground, and also to the reduction in prices for refreshments.

In this connection it must be remembered that at the last annual meeting the Committee received a mandate from the members present to expend such monies as were necessary for the general improvement and greater comfort of the Club and it is hoped that what has been done has given entire satisfaction.

All the debentures with the exception of four have been redeemed and it is hoped that these will be paid off soon.

Membership.—Since the 1st August, 1923, one hundred and nineteen new members have joined the Club, a few old members rejoined and about ninety resigned or had their names removed on account of their departure or other reason.

The present membership is 475 as against 440 in 1922-23, made up as follows:

	Present	Absent	Total
Life	6	2	7
Ordinary	274	67	341
Sea-Going	86	31	117
Naval or Military	11	0	11
	376	100	476

Personal.

The Committee record with deep regret the deaths of Messrs. A. A. Claxton, P. H. Dwyer, J. W. Hubbard, R. Hutchison, G. H. May, N. S. Moses, J. Spittles, Wm. Stewart and W. L. Wenger.

President.—Dr. C. Forsyth, who for many years has been our popular President, recently left the Colony owing to indifferent health and has expressed a desire to be relieved of his duties in this capacity.

A fitting presentation was made to him on behalf of the Club as a token of esteem and gratitude for his valued services.

Honorary Treasurer.—Mr. H. E. Stevens left the Colony in June last on transfer to England and the Committee duly appointed Mr. C. J. Roe to fill the vacancy.

For his many years of valuable services on the Committee and as Honorary Treasurer, Mr. Stevens was made the recipient of suitable presentations from the Club before his departure.

Ground.—The cricket pitch has received considerable attention during the summer months and should be in good order for the coming season. The bowling green has also been considerably enlarged and improved.

The Club was not so successful at the Horticultural Show as in former years, two 1st and three 3rd prizes and two awards of merit being obtained. The flowers and plants are in excellent condition.

Club House.

Pavilion.—Extensive renewals and alterations were made during the season, considerably improving the pavilion throughout and adding to the general comfort and convenience of members.

The joists and flooring of the middle room are in a very bad state of repair and will soon have to be renewed. The estimated cost to do this work will not be excessive and the outgoing Committee strongly recommends that approval will be given in the near future to put into effect the necessary work.

Ladies' Pavilion.—Certain repairs were effected and at present the shed appears to be in quite good condition.

Cricket.—Although not so successful as the previous season, the cricket during 1923-24 was just as bright and enjoyable. We were again without several of our old playing members on account of absence on leave.

The first XI played 16 matches, won 5, lost 10 and drew 1.

The second XI played 21 matches, won 5, lost 13 and drew 3.

Tennis.—The Annual Lawn Tennis Tournament took place as usual and was well supported.

We entered one team in the First Division of the Hongkong Tennis League and two teams in the Second Division. In all matches we were successful, winning 10 out of 11 matches.

Handicap Doubles.—Winners, C. J. Roe and H. E. Stevens.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.**TRADE UNION CONGRESS.**

London, Sept. 1.
The Trade Union Congress opened in the City Hall, Hull, with 700 delegates representing four and half million members. Mr. Purcell, M.P., presiding, said that labour's task was to capture every legislative and administrative function. Referring to the position of the German workers, Mr. Purcell said that British trade unionism ought to insist that if reparations and indemnities had to be paid under the Dawes scheme, they should be paid without injury to the recipients. The burden should fall upon the exploiter and profiteer. Mr. Purcell commended the Russian treaty and warned the Congress that possibly opposition to the treaty might decide the fate of the Government.—*Reuter's American Service.*

THE PRINCE IN AMERICA.

New York, Sept. 1.
The Prince of Wales yesterday morning spent two hours exercising his polo ponies on the polo grounds near Westbury. One of his mounts was the pony Kitty, which Major Metcalfe will use in the Cup matches. The Prince then took a long motor trip and a sail up the Long Island Sound in a steam yacht. To-day he participates in a scratch game of polo and will possibly visit Belmont Park to see Epsom meet some of the best American horses, including Zev and Ladkin, in a six furlong race, the first of a series of three international sweepstakes.—*Reuter's American Service.*

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Geneva, Sept. 1.
The fifth assembly of the League of Nations opened with the public galleries packed. M. Hymans of Belgium, acting president, was given an ovation. In his speech he described the progress of the League and affirmed that the League was indispensable to the life of the nations.

The First Division team has tied for first place with the United Services Recreation Club and the Indian Recreation Club and arrangements are being made for an early play off to decide Championship honours. Although the Second Division Teams have not been very successful the many matches played have afforded a large number of our tennis enthusiasts much enjoyment.

Bowls.—The Bowls' Committee has had the Green enlarged and the old portion as well as the new has been thoroughly retrained; and, given fine weather, the lawn will be found to compare favourably with any in the Colony.

So far this season has been rather disappointing, the persistent rain curtailing all competitions and practices; with brighter days success is assured.

For the first time in the history of the Bowls' Section we have entered two teams in the Hongkong Lawn Bowls League. The team in the "A" Division has proved itself worthy of its place and is assured of its present position. The "B" team, with the assistance of some of the older players, is doing as well as was expected and is bringing forward new enthusiasts for next season. To these older players our thanks are due.

The Golf Section.

Golf.—The Golf Section of the Club, which for the past fifteen years has been one of the outstanding features, has automatically ceased to exist with the conversion of King's Park.

There has been universal regret at the loss of King's Park Course, but we are looking forward to playing soon on the new links under construction at Kowloon City.

A very successful year was carried through and the Competitions were well supported.

Children's Sports.—This event was held on New Year's Day and met with its usual success. The thanks of the Committee are tendered to the many generous subscribers, and the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted on that occasion.

Concerts and Dances.—One open air concert, one dance at the Kowloon Hotel and two smoking concerts were held during the year and were all well attended and much enjoyed.

Prizes.—The Committee thank the numerous donors of prizes for the various sport competitions.

Annual Lawn Tennis Tournament. Open Championship: Winner, T. Lay; Runner-up, H. Krebs; Challenger Round, T. Lay defeated S. E. Green (holder).

Scratch Pairs: Winners, E. Abraham and N. Trambitzky; Runners-up, R. E. Lindsell and T. Lay.

Handicap Doubles: Finalists, A. W. Ramsay and A. J. Kow; L. A. R. Duncan and N. Trambitzky.

Handicap Singles "A": Winner, A. W. Ramsay; Runner-up, S. E. Green.

Handicap Singles "B": Winner, E. Savage; Runner-up, T. Trambitzky.

Ladies' Championship: Singles: Winner, Mrs. H. Minney; Runner-up, Mrs. J. A. Howe.

Mixed Doubles: Winners, T. Lay and Mrs. McLaw; Runner-up, A. W. Ramsay and Mrs. Lindsell.

Handicap Golf Competitions: Mixed: Open Championship: Winner, C. J. Roe; Runner-up, H. E. Stevens.



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LEAGUE TENNIS.**SECOND DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP.**

The Chinese Recreation Club "A" team completed their list of League fixtures on Sunday, when they met and defeated their own "B" team, who had the assistance of the ex-champion, Ng Sze-kwong. The Chinese R. C. "A" have received four walk-overs—from the University, Craigengower "A", Craigengower "B" and the Kowloon C. C. "B"—and the remaining matches they have won; having secured the maximum number of points and thus becoming the Shield holders for another year. The following are the details of Sunday's match:

Ng Sze-kwong and Ng Sze-choong ("B") beat Yew Man-tau and Yew Man-kit 10-1, beat Kwok Po-kan and Lau Fook-ki 8-5, beat Lau Fook-ling and Chan So 8-8. Yung Hin-luen and Ng Kam-chuen ("B") lost to Yew and Yew 2-3, lost to Kwok and Lau 2-0, lost to Lau and Chan 4-7.

Ip Kau-ko and Chui Tsun-chui lost to Yew and Yew 5-0, lost to Kwok and Lau 4-7, lost to Lau and Chan 8-8.

Totals: Chinese R. C. "A" 60; Chinese R. C. "B" 40.

Captain's Cup: Winner, H. Overy; Runner-up, K. A. Mason.

China Mail Cup: Winner, T. Monaghan; Runner-up, A. W. Ramsay.

Handicap: Winner, T. Monaghan; Runner-up, A. W. Ramsay.

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STEPHEN.****SHANGHAI APPRECIATION.**

It was with very deep regret, says Saturday's *N. C. D. News*, that many friends in Shanghai learnt yesterday of the death of Mr. A. G. Stephen, chief manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. Mr. Stephen was unquestionably the finest financier of his day in all the Far East; it is even said that his superior was never known in this part of the world. He was also a man of great personality, a commanding character, of wide interests, and withal a most genial host, an excellent companion and a good friend.

Mr. Stephen was born, we think, at Huntly in Aberdeenshire in Scotland, a town whose name, word, the same as that of the famous Scottish regiment, the Gay Gordons, he took for a pony that brought him success, namely, Hyland. He began his career in a Scottish bank, but, in the year 1882, he went to London and joined the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. In 1885 he came out to the head office in Hongkong, and there is a legend that in those early days he cashed a cheque for Admiral Sir Alexander Duff—then a very junior lieutenant—on the strength of his excellent Scottish name. At any rate the two were life-long friends. Mr. Stephen remained for four years in Hongkong, then he was for seven years in Java, four in India, four in the Philippines, where he became a great friend of General Leonard Wood, and three in the Straits, where we believe he showed his interest in journalism (among many other things) by contributing occasional leaders to the *Penang Gazette*.

Manager in Shanghai.

In the spring of 1911 he came to Shanghai and assisted the late Mr. H. E. R. Hunter in the management. A year later he succeeded on Mr. Hunter's retiring and remained manager in Shanghai until April, 1920. During this time he had many most anxious crises with which to deal, including the terribly anxious week of Revolution in 1913, (the only occasion on which the present writer can remember seeing Mr. Stephen's normal imperturbability at all shaken), and the financial crisis of May 1910, when the Chinese Government declared a moratorium which very nearly threw the Chinese bankers into hysterics. On all these occasions Mr. Stephen's calm and dominating personality was of incalculable value in keeping the local market steady. Chinese bankers were deep in admiration for him and, on his going home in 1920, they presented him with several valuable testimonials. It may also be recalled that at the end of the war, the Diplomatic Body in Peking unanimously invited him to liquidate the Deutsch-Asiatische Bank, which was done with a thoroughness that earned him the peculiar hatred of the Germans.

Among other recollections, it was Mr. Stephen who proposed that if the Chinese Government would establish in Shanghai a properly managed and controlled mint, which should coin dollars of stable value, other provincial mints being abolished, foreign banks would be prepared to accept these dollars as the coinage of the country and keep their accounts in them. We all know the fiasco in which the project ended, but that was not Mr. Stephen's fault. He also took no little trouble for the formation of a Bankers Association in Shanghai, which would have included both

Chinese and foreign banks, but in this he could not bring all concerned into line. It may also be mentioned that he was very strongly in favour of the Municipal Council issuing its own coinage in order to counteract the evil of depreciated copper; this idea was scoffed at when he advanced it, but one has since heard it advocated in two or three different quarters.

Chief Manager.

In April, 1920, Mr. Stephen went home for eight months' leave in the same ship with Sir Havilland de Saumarez and Dean Walker. He returned a year later to Hongkong as chief manager, and under his charge the prosperity of the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank has certainly "moulded no feather." In illustration of Mr. Stephen's breadth of view, it may be mentioned that the great Waiyong building in Shanghai was almost entirely due to his advocacy: left to themselves, the Court of Directors would probably have built something much more modest. Mr. Stephen had great ideas of embellishing the old Bank House in Hongkong. It was due to his influence that the Court of Directors purchased the wonderful collection of Chinnery's drawings and paintings, when they came into the market a few years ago, which now hang in that house. He also bought, out of his own means, not a few pictures and handsome pieces of furniture, to present to the chief manager's house.

Rowing and Racing.

As a young man Mr. Stephen was a keen oarsman, as a number of silver cups in his house bore witness; and of course, as his nationality became him, he was at all times an assiduous golfer.

He always took a lively interest in racing and as an owner met with considerable success. From 1913 to 1920 he was in partnership with Mr. A. W. Burkill as a racing owner. Their pony Hyland was third in the Maidens in 1919, won the Champions in the spring of 1920, and was second in the autumn of the same year after winning the Shanghai Stakes. In later years Mr. Stephen was in partnership with Mr. Stitt in racing both here and at Hongkong. Their best pony was undoubtedly Cock of the North, which won the Eclipse Stakes and was third in the Champions at the Shanghai spring meeting last year. Other good and well known ponies in the same ownership, specially over short distances, were Benz and Silver Idol.

An Authority on Shakespeare.

It may not be generally known that Mr. Stephen was an authority on Shakespeare, such as is rarely met with. He could, from memory, place practically any quotation, not only from the well-known plays but also from these less familiar and from the sonnets and other verse. His knowledge generally of English literature both prose and poetry was extraordinarily wide and accurate. He was also a great lover of music though he did not perform himself. He was a good speaker, with no pretensions to oratory, but a fine instinct for the appropriate word and always a dry keen sense of humour.

His eldest son, who was in the Flying Corps, was killed during the war. Mr. Stephen leaves two daughters, the twins, well-known to many friends, who have just finished their education in Switzerland and were in London with their father at the time of his death. To them as also to Mrs. Stephen we offer the heartfelt sympathy of many friends all through the Far East.

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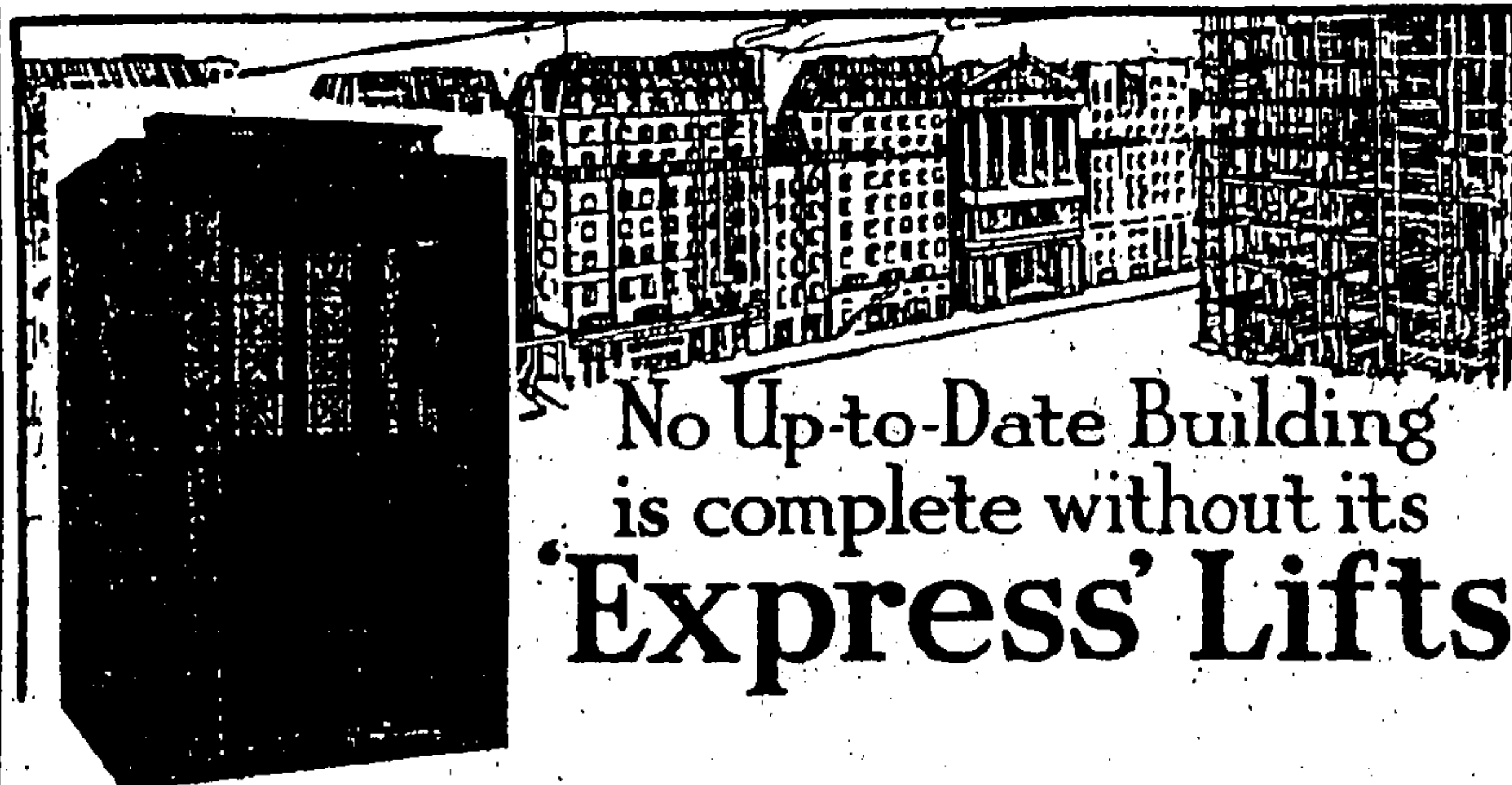
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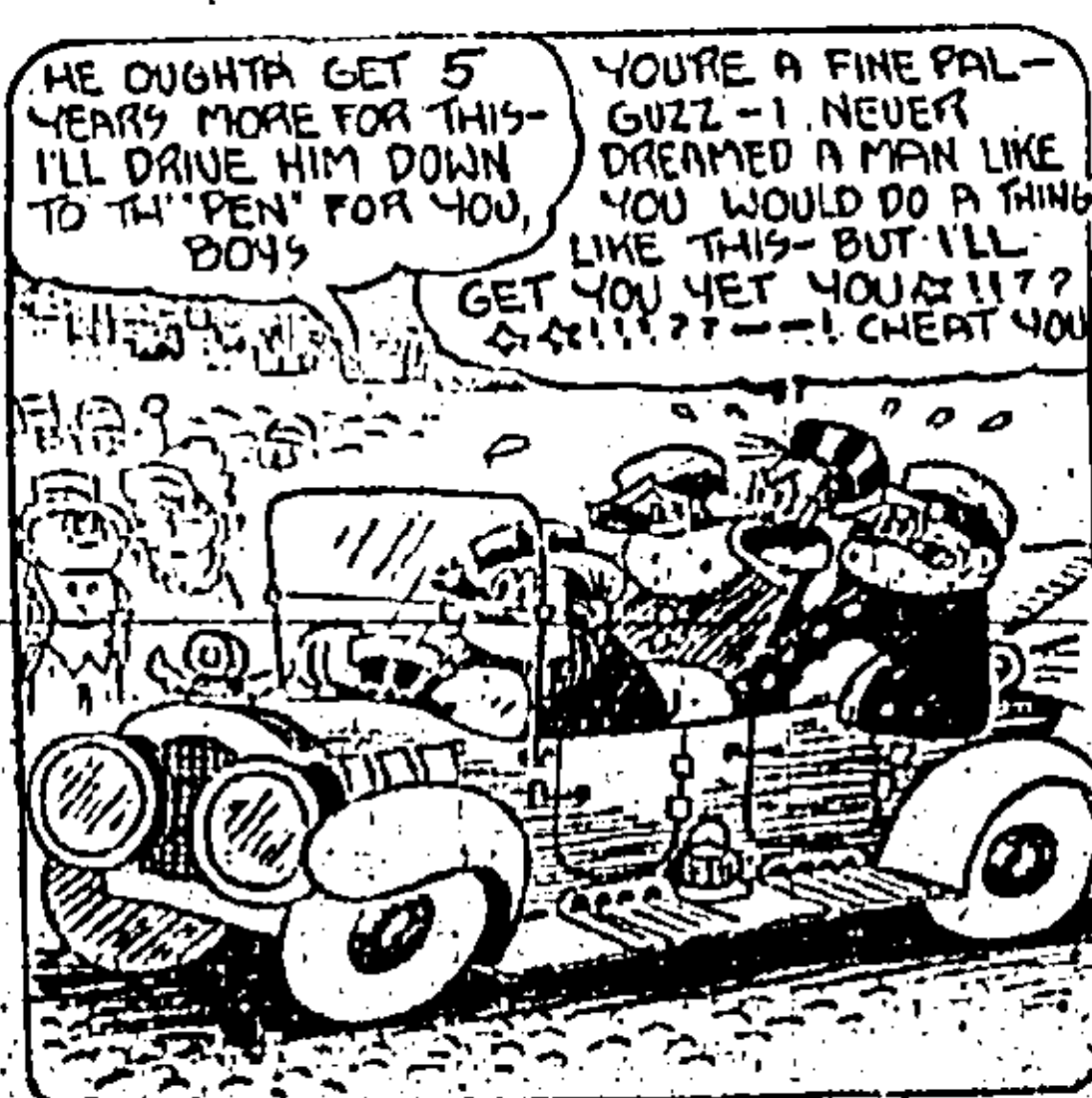
In an article in the *Nautical Magazine* there is an amusing summary of the records held by that Clyde-built wonder clipper—the *Cutty Sark*. These are

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London, September 1.

At the Trade Union Congress, Mr. Cook, secretary of the Miners' Federation, said he had received a telegram from the French miners strongly protesting against the Dawes scheme and its effect on the German workers.

Mr. Marchbank, a railwayman, said he hoped an opportunity would be given to discuss the Dawes report, which he said was designed to benefit international capitalism and ruin the working-class movement.

Mr. Pollitt, a boilermaker, in an impassioned speech demanded that the trade union movement should control the policy of the Labour Government. The congress should emphatically repudiate the threat to introduce the Emergency Powers Act in trade union disputes, and denounce the Dawes report, which made war inevitable.

Mr. Robert Smillie, on behalf of the executive, while not denying the right of the congress to criticise the Government's policy, defended the latter and said the Dawes agreement was in the best interests of the workers both in Britain and in Germany.

That portion of the council's report declaring it was not the function of the congress to enlarge upon the Labour Government legislation, was carried by a large majority, despite an attack made on it by the Communist section. The congress was then adjourned.

COMING CLASH IN GERMANY.

RESULT OF THE REICHSTAG BARGAIN.

Berlin, September 1.

A difficult domestic situation will confront the Reichstag on its re-assembly on October 15th, for it must immediately decide whether the Cabinet will lose its present slight democratic tincture and become distinctly reactionary, as the result of the bargain to secure Nationalist support in the adoption of the Dawes Bills, under which the Centre and Peoples parties were pledged to help the Nationalists into the Cabinet.

A pretty squabble is now proceeding, for while the Nationalists claim that their action secured the adoption of the Dawes Bills, the Democrats and Socialists point out that the Nationalists voted solidly against the Bills requiring a simple majority, while fifty-four Nationalists, including the leaders Herfert and Westarp, voted against the Railway Bill, and only forty-eight for. If the Nationalists be admitted to the Cabinet, their numbers will give them a dominating influence, and a claim to the Chancellorship, with consequent power to wreck the plan, which they have consistently opposed. Hence the Democrats and Socialists are working for a dissolution and election, which they are convinced will enormously increase their strength in the Reichstag.—*Reuter.*

TASK FOR THE LEAGUE.

PEACE MUST BE PLACED ON FIRM BASE.

Geneva, September 1.

M. Motta, of Switzerland, amid prolonged applause, was elected President of the Assembly of the League by 45 out of 47 States voting.

M. Hymans lauded the settlement of the reparations question at the London Conference, as ushering in a period of peace, tranquillity and progress, but referring to the disarmament question he said the very serious problem of security remained. Europe would be unable to live in a state of insecurity. Peace must be built upon firm legal and political foundations. All eyes were turned to the League in the hope that it would find a solution. The presence of M. Herriot and Mr. MacDonald testified to the growing importance of the League.—*Reuter.*

REPARATIONS AND THE RUHR.

GERMANY PAYS AN INSTALMENT.

Paris, September 1.

Various stages fixed for the re-establishment of German economic sovereignty in the Ruhr will be calculated from to-day, as the result of a meeting of the Reparations Commission officially registering the promulgation of the German Dawes laws.

A Berlin message reports that the Minister of Finance, Herr Luther, stated that Germany to-day has paid the Reichsbank to the account of the Agent General for Reparations, twenty million gold marks, being the first instalment for service of the impending German International Loan.—*Reuter.*

MAGISTRATE MYSTIFIED.

WHAT IS "MUNSELL"?

A charge of stealing 18 cases of munshell, the property of P. Gotha and Co., was brought against two boatwomen, before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistrate's court this morning. Mr. J. D'Almeida Remedios represented both defendants.

The subject of the charge mystified his Worship, who in an endeavour to be enlightened as to what "munshell" was, asked Sergeant Dorling:—Where do I find it? In the encyclopaedia?

Sergeant Dorling:—It is a red stone used in the manufacture of gun-power, your Worship.

The Magistrate:—Oh, it is not a stone.—(Laughter.)

SUICIDE.

MAN HANGS HIMSELF.

An unknown Chinese was found lying dead in the Chan Kang-yue gardens at Ngau Shi Wan, New Territories, yesterday, with a piece of cloth tied round his neck.

The deceased, it was gathered, had taken his life by hanging himself from a tree. Near the body was a broken branch, which had apparently snapped off with the weight of the man's body. The man's remains were taken to the Kowloon Mortuary.

CHINESE CIVIL WAR.

PROTECTION OF FRENCH INTERESTS.

Paris, Sept. 1.

The authorities have instructed the Rear Admiral commanding the French fleet in the East to protect French interests in connection with the threatened civil war in China. The French fleet is now in the waters of the Yellow Sea, and the French authorities are keeping a close watch on the movements of the Chinese fleet.

BOLSHEVISM.

GROWING IN CANTON.

Secret Instructions For "Red Army."

Although the Canton strike is considered settled, business there is, we learn, still much restricted. No big orders are being dealt with, business being largely of the hand-to-mouth order. The merchants are waiting to see whether the Government will, as agreed, hand over the Hav arms by Saturday next.

Much anxiety is felt in business quarters at the very apparent growth of Bolshevik influence. It is stated that Dr. Sun has decided to force Kwangtung into Communism, in which connection it is pointed out that a "Red" Army has already been formed, some of whose members are quartered in Canton and others in outlying districts.

It is said that the chief of the various Bolshevik organisations has been given confidential instructions in sealed covers as to the placing of the "Red" Army into active service, these covers to be opened and instructions contained therein to be carried out by telephone and telegraphic messages in case of emergency.

There is an air of mystery about the whole affair, but it is significant that General Ching Chien, Dr. Sun's Secretary of War, has tendered his resignation. In connection with the creation of this "Red" Army further news is to the effect that the authorities have despatched delegates to various agricultural districts with a view to organising a Farmers' Corps thereof. It is also hoped to induce the Village Volunteers in various places to come into the scheme.

A SUN YAT-SEN ORGAN.

In connection with the above reports, advices from Shanghai indicate that Bolshevism is progressing by leaps and bounds there, due to numerous meetings and the circulation of inflammatory publications. It is said that the scheme is to foment strikes in the hope that a clash will occur between China and the Powers, and then Moscow, in the benign guise of aiding China against capitalist and imperialist Powers, hopes to seize and Sovietise foreign Concessions. Amongst the publications being circulated in Shanghai just now is a Sun Yat-sen organ, which has just arrived from Canton and which contains a glowing appreciation of M. Kerkaban by Dr. Sun, and this journal is being widely circulated.

Another noteworthy circumstance is that a Communist flag with plough and hammer design, is flying from the Civil Governor's yamen.

As to the strike settlement, the Canton Gazette intimates the possibility of the terms being modified in favour of the merchants.

NEW CONDITIONS.

A report reaches us to the effect that much annoyance has been caused amongst merchants because the Government is said to have added new conditions to the strike settlement terms, these including a pledge by the merchants that the arms to be released shall never be used to oppose the troops and the Government. The merchants, it is understood, have had no intention of going against the troops or the Government at any time and would only act in self-defence when encroached upon unlawfully, such as the looting of shops by defeated troops and interference with the rights of the people by unsettled governments which change often and become untrustworthy and unfaithful on the eve of departure or no, being driven out by rivals.

OFFICERS' EXECUTION.

The officers of the Merchants' Volunteers in Canton are experiencing some difficulty in reorganising the younger elements of the Corps, who have become much smaller and scattered since the execution of the late Major Chen.

SHAMEN STRIKE.

POSSIBILITY OF FURTHER TROUBLE.

It is reported in the vernacular papers of Canton that there is the possibility of a second strike of Shamoon employees.

The late strike was, it is said, settled very hurriedly because of the then impending general strike of Canton merchants. The Committee of the Strike Guild complied with the Canton Government's order to accept the terms of the Shamoon authorities only on account of the larger strike which was then looming up. It was suggested that in the event of trouble in the City, it would be advisable to have the Shamoon open to officials as a place of refuge and that to continue the strike against Shamoon residents was unwise. Now that the general strike has been settled, it was suggested at a meeting held in the City yesterday, that a further strike be declared against the Shamoon unless a satisfactory reply is received from the British Consul to a protest made to him against the dismissal of over 100 former Shamoon employees.

We have so far received no confirmation of the above, which is, as already explained, is a report in the Canton vernacular papers.

DIAMOND MYSTERY.

TWO MEN ARRESTED.

When two men of unkempt appearance walked into a pawnshop in town yesterday and asked for a loan, giving \$1,200 worth of diamonds as security, it was not to be wondered at that the suspicions of the pawnbroker were aroused and that he detained them, meanwhile sending for the police.

Failing to obtain a satisfactory explanation, the men were charged before Mr. R. E. Lindell, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when one of them replied that they were soldiers attached at one time to the army of Wong Yum-ai at Foo chow. "We kept a fan-tan house and those diamonds were part of the winnings."

His Worship:—You converted the proceeds of this gambling saloon into diamonds? You won so much as all that?

The case was remanded, for further enquiries, on the application of Inspector Cotton.

PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN.

SEEKING THE LABOUR VOTE.

Washington, Sept. 1.

All the Presidential candidates to-day made appeals to the Labour vote. President Coolidge, receiving a delegation of Labour leaders at the White House, told them that American wage earners were living better than at any time in the country's history, and enjoyed a greater buying power than any country on earth. He reiterated that he was for a commonsense government, under the American constitution.

Senator La Follette has broadcast an arraignment of both the older parties for evils which he claims have grown up under their administration.

Mr. Davis, addressing trade unionists at Wheeling, West Virginia, urged his hearers to help to bring the country to her rightful place in the councils of humanity.—*Reuter's American Service.*

INTERNATIONAL RACE.

Belmont Park, Long Island, Sept. 1.

In the presence of the Prince of Wales and fifty thousand other spectators, the first international horse race resulted in Wise Comptroller coming first, Epinead (the French horse) second, and Ladkin third.

The time was one minute, eleven and four fifths seconds. The race was lightning fast and was a challenge to the spectators, who were winning the international prize.

PIRACY POINTS.

"TAL LEE" CASE RECALLED.

Objections to Forfeiture of Bond.

It is an attempt to enforce the provisions on the Colony's Ordinance outside the limits of the Colony. This is how the Piracy Regulations were described by Mr. C. G. Alabaster, in the Court of Appellate Jurisdiction this morning, when, on behalf of the Sze Yap s.s. Co., he moved that the decision or order of Mr. C. D. Melbourne, one of the magistrates of the Colony, given on June 17th, 1924, whereby the appellants were ordered to forfeit the sum of \$5,000 secured by Bond entered into by them with His Majesty the King on January 10th, 1923, for the observance of the regulations for the time being in force under the Piracy Regulations Ordinance, be reversed and rescinded, upon the ground that it was erroneous in point of law.

Mr. O. G. Alabaster, K.C., with Mr. H. S. Fitzroy, appeared for the appellants, and Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., appeared for the Crown.

Mr. Alabaster, in his opening, mentioned that the case arose out of the Tal Lee on January 21st, this year, when Capt. Wilcox was killed. When the case was heard before Mr. Melbourne he held that the certificated officers were not carrying out the regulations and as a matter of practice did not do so.

THE LEGISLATURE'S RIGHTS.

Mr. Alabaster went on to define the danger zone as laid down in the regulations and added that it was clear in the authorities that no Colony as such, has any jurisdiction outside its territorial waters. He urged that the Legislature had no right to impose obligations outside the Colony and still less to delegate their powers to another body, the Executive body—which had no power to make regulations—and thereby deprive the Crown of their special reserved rights of disallowance.

His second point was that the regulation under which they were charged was ultra vires because it had not received Royal Assent, and his third point was that the regulations were repugnant to the Merchant Shipping Acts. Mr. Alabaster quoted many cases in support of his contentions.

NOT PIRACIES.

Mr. Fitzroy introduced a second aspect of the case. He quoted judgments where a pirate was defined as a person who satisfies his greed by robbery or murder in a place beyond the jurisdiction of any state. That naturally meant robbery on the high seas. The place where this happened was in a small river connecting two portions of the Canton River. It was occupied Chinese territory and it was utterly impossible for a piracy to take place there. An attack on a boat took place, but it was not piracy. He would submit that the regulations could not apply where a piracy was impossible. The case is proceeding.

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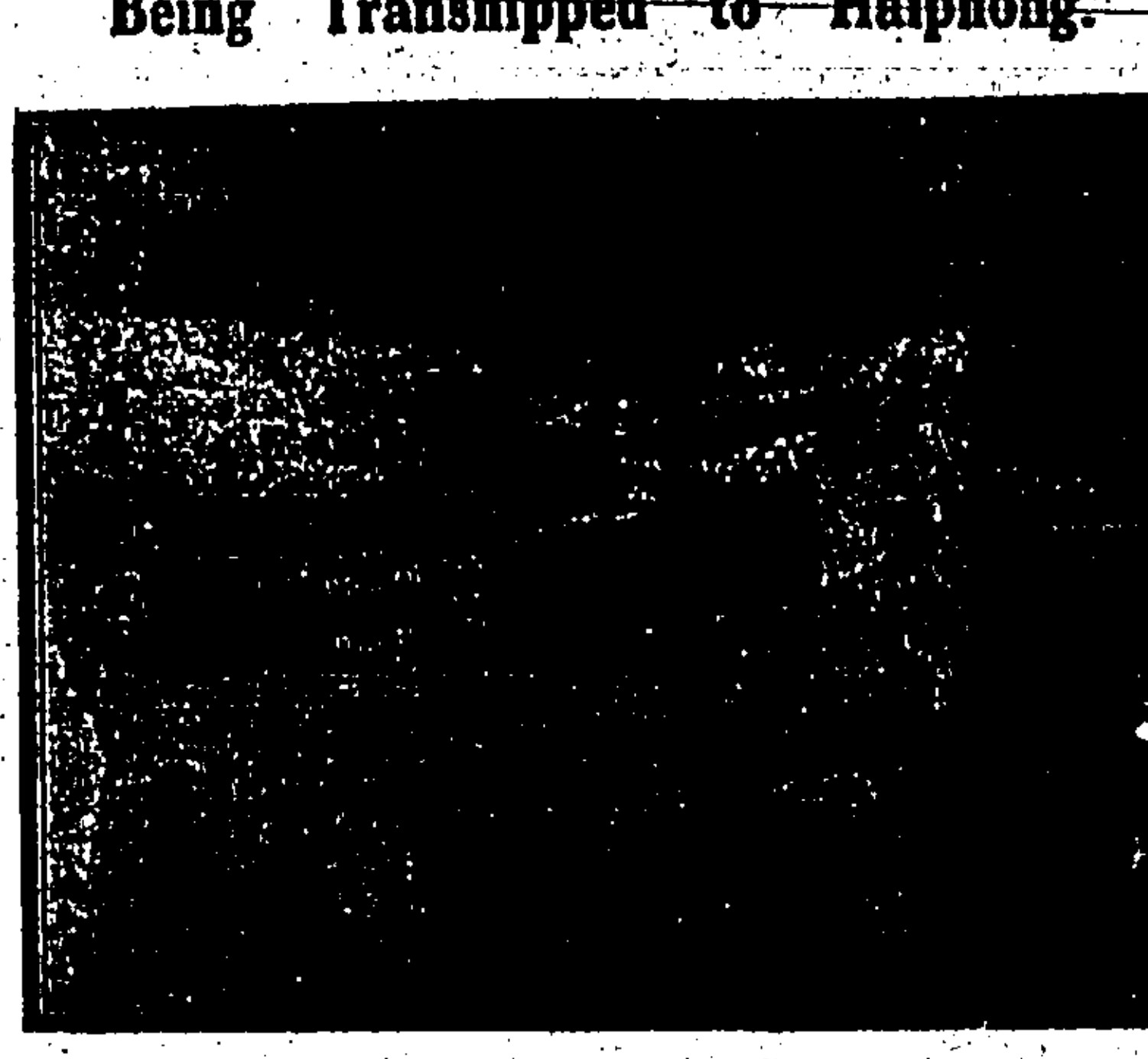
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MAJOR ZANNI'S MACHINE HERE.

Being Transhipped to Haiphong.



By the arrival of the s.s. President Madison in port at eleven o'clock this morning, there came to this Colony the aeroplane, pictured above, which is now on its way to Haiphong to take the place of the one that was destroyed there when Major Zanni crashed.

The above aeroplane was the spare machine which had been shipped from London to Japan and the one in which Major Zanni proposed to use in his flight across the Pacific. It will be noted that the machine is equipped with pontoons, whereas the machine which Major Zanni had used up to the time of his arrival in Haiphong was fitted with wheels. It was in view of the fact that Canton had a better landing ground than Hongkong that Canton was chosen as a landing place on the line of route, but now that Major Zanni will arrive in these parts with a pontoon-fitted machine, it is quite probable that Hongkong will be visited and not Canton. Upon this point there is no definite information at present.

On enquiry at the Admiral Liao office this morning, a Telegraph representative was informed that the spare machine was on board, packed in two large cases. It will have to be transhipped here for Haiphong, but the actual boat by which it will be sent down has not yet been chosen.

Provided an early steamer is used, and provided the machine when unpacked at Haiphong proves to be satisfactory, Major Zanni should be on his way again in about a week from now, and it is just possible that Hongkong instead of Canton will be able to give this round-the-world flier a welcome.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

TWO RECENT GIFTS.

The following items are from St. John's Cathedral Notes:—

We are most grateful to Captain Byers for presenting a new flag to be flown on the Cathedral tower. The old one had done its duty for many years, being the first to be flown there, and it had become very ragged. The flag flown on English Churches is the cross of St. George, the Patron Saint of England.

Rev. J. T. Holman, formerly Assistant Chaplain at the Cathedral, who is now at the British Legation, Peking, has very kindly presented to the Cathedral a bronze ewer for carrying the water to the font. It was made in Peking and makes a worthy addition to the furniture of the Cathedral. We cordially thank Mr. Holman for his gift.

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TO-DAY.

Closing Exchange 2s. 4. 7/16
Lighting Up Time 6.40 p.m.
Barometer 30.0
Temperature 72° F.
Wind S.W. 12 m.p.h.
Moon 1/2 illuminated.

LADY ROBBED.

YOUNG THIEF SENTENCED.

A daring theft of a handbag, in which was contained a sum of about \$90, was committed early this morning after the s.s. Kwongsei had come into harbour from Canton.

Miss A. H. Skinner, who lives at the Helena May Institute, had found the hour too late to go ashore, and was reclining in a chair on deck when she felt a tug at her handbag. Immediately she tightened her hold on it, but a more violent tug soon dispossessed her of it, and the last she saw of the thief was his disappearance round a corner.

She told the Police Court to-day that she looked high and low for the man, but without success. Later in the morning she went ashore and was at the Helena May Institute when a telephone message came through from one of the Chinese girls who were her companions on the trip. It transpired that the thief had been found by a watchman on the Kwongsei. He turned out to be a son of one of the stewards, and the bag, with its contents intact, was in his possession.

The boy's father appeared in Mr. R. E. Lindell's Court this morning to say that he was unable to keep him under control. He left it to his Worship to deal with the boy as he deemed proper.

"Even your own father says you are a young scoundrel," his Worship remarked as his passed sentence of three months' hard labour.

THE CIVIL WAR.

SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY OUT.

Shanghai, Sept. 1.

Gen. Lu Yung-shan, former commander of the Shanghai-Nanking railway, has been ordered to leave Shanghai and to go to Nanking. The railway is now in the hands of the Chinese government.